Today's Weather. Cloudy.

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In New York U. S. Steel common advanced to 31¾, the highest for more than a year. Other iron and steel stocks were buoyant. High grade railroad stocks strong. In Pittsburgh Coal preferred, Crucible preferred, Fire Proofing preferred and Westinghouse Electric advanced to the highest prices of the year. Wheat broke nearly two cents on enormous northwestern receipts.—Pages 14 and 15.

THE WEATHER

Cloudy and colder today, followed by rain or snow and high winds tomorrow, is the weather prediction of the Washington observer for Pittsburgh and vicinity. The maximum temperature yesterday was 34, and the minimum 20 degrees. The sun rose cloudy at 7:22 and set cloudy at 4:53 o'clock. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office, follows:

Cloudy.

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	30.26	20	70	W.	Clear.
8 p. m.	30.11	52	52	S.E.	Cloudy.

Comparative temperature and precipitation for November 28:

	1904	1903		1904	1903
Maximum	34	28	Mean	27	24
Minimum	20	21	Precipitation	..	T.

Nor. temp. 31 yrs. 36 / Nor. precip. 31 yrs. .69
Dfcy. for day .... 9 / Dfcy. since Nov. 1..2.66
Exc. since Nov. 1.. 22 / Dfcy. since Jan. 1..2.50
Dfcy. since Jan. 1..407

Official Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Partly cloudy and warmer Tuesday; Wednesday, rain or snow and colder, brisk to high south to west winds.

West Virginia—Fair, warmer Tuesday; Wednesday, fair, cooler.

Ohio—Partly cloudy and warmer Tuesday; Wednesday cloudy and colder, rain or snow in north and central portions; brisk to high south to west winds.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Cairo	56	Clear	Indianapolis	40	Clear
Memphis	60	Clear	Kansas City	58	Clear
Omaha	52	Clear	Cincinnati	42	Clear
Chicago	38	Cloudy	Vicksburg	62	Clear
St. Louis	50	PtCldy	Louisville	48	Clear
Buffalo	26	PtCldy	Washington	30	Clear
El Paso	58	PtCldy	Nashville	52	Clear
St. Paul	32	Cloudy	Philadelphia	30	Clear
Duluth	24	Snow	New York	26	Clear
Huron	42	Clear	Cleveland	22	Cloudy
Helena	42	Cloudy	New Orleans	58	Clear

When in New York stop at Gregorian hotel, 35th st., west, near 5th avenue.

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MIKADO'S MEN RENEW FIGHT

Repulsed in Three Days' Attack, They Move on Russian Left.

SIEGE GUNS USED

Blinding Snowstorm Descends on Field and Veils New Move of the Japanese.

POSITIONS OF THE FORCES

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

TOKYO, Nov. 29.—It is reported that the attack against 203 Meter Hill at Port Arthur by Japanese light artillery is succeeding. It is estimated that 90 per cent of the work of the complete occupation of Port Arthur will be finished with this height in possession of the Japanese. No part of the harbor of Port Arthur will then be concealed from the Japanese.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 28.—A dispatch from Gen. Kuropatkin reports the Japanese resumed the offensive at 7 o'clock this morning on the Russian left flank.

Gen. Sakharoff today telegraphs as follows: "The Japanese attack on Tsinkhetchen was checked by our artillery fire, and the fighting ceased at 6 o'clock in the evening of November 27. At no point did the enemy advance nearer than 600 paces of our positions. In the midst of the battle a blinding snow storm caused a suspension of hostilities, and when the weather cleared at 3 o'clock in the afternoon a turning movement against our right flank was observed."

The opinion is now expressed by the general staff that the Japanese intend taking the offensive, as they cannot afford to wait until the Russians are further reinforced. It is held the fighting to the eastward is doubtless with the purpose of feeling out the Russian positions preparatory to an advance in that direction; but as there are about 7,000 Russian troops southwest of Sintsintin, where fighting occurred November 26, and probably twice as many more in the mountains between Bentsiaputze and Sintsintin, any Japanese move from this quarter would entail serious fighting. At the same time correspondents at the front continue to scout the idea of serious fighting being imminent.

WITH THE RUSSIAN FORCES AT SHENKING, Nov. 28.—The attack by the Japanese on Gen. Rennenkampf's position November 24 resulted in three days' fighting at Tsinkhetchen, near Da pass. Though the Japanese have been repulsed, the fighting continues. The Japanese have succeeded in placing several big siege guns in position, with which they will be able to seriously harass the Russians.

The latest estimate of the disposition of the Japanese forces is as follows:

One brigade of infantry and five regiments of cavalry, with a second line of one brigade between Bandioza and the Hun river, two divisions of infantry between Bandioza and Linshinpu, one division between Linshinpu and Liadiaouza, one division between Liadiaouza and Chinsandiza, one division between Chinsandiza and Kosangau, one brigade between Kosangau and Sunmuga, with a second line consisting of one brigade and two divisions; one division at Bepupuza, one brigade occupying the country southwest of Bepupuza as far as Chingizi, with one brigade of infantry and one of cavalry in the second line. Behind the main army are one brigade of infantry, stationed at Liao Yang, one at Yentai and one at Tsinkhetchen.

MUKDEN, Nov. 28.—There seems to be undue importance attached to the three days' fight between the Japanese and Gen. Rennenkampff's men. It was, in reality, an unimportant advance guard affair in which the Japanese were repulsed with a loss of 100 men.

AMERICA INVITED TO SEAT ON COMMISSION

British and Russian Ambassadors Request This Government to Name Naval Officer for Tribunal.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—In pursuance of the Anglo-Russian agreement on the North sea incident, Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, and Sir Henry Mortimer Durand, the British ambassador, today called on Secretary Hay and requested the United States to lend the services of an officer of high standing to serve on the commission with a Russian, English and a French officer. The four will choose a fifth.

Mr. Hay assured his visitors, who came separately, the United States would be glad thus to assist an amicable settlement of the dispute. He promised to bring the question to the attention of the president.

Admiral Dewey will be proffered this duty. He is not inclined to accept it unless President Roosevelt greatly desires it. The admiral has made plans to command the United States North and South Atlantic and European squadrons in winter maneuvers in the Caribbean.

TRIED TO KILL HIMSELF WHEN PURSUED BY TROUBLE

ROCHESTER, PA., Nov. 28.—(Special.)—William Blackburn, aged 22, of Dillonvale, O., sent a bullet close to his heart at the Doncaster hotel here, tonight, in an attempt to end his life. Blackburn arrived in Rochester this evening. Blackburn said he had been attending school in Scranton, where he had become involved in trouble. He had written notes to his mother and sister. The contents of the notes have not been disclosed. Blackburn was removed to the Beaver county general hospital here, where it is stated that his chances of recovery are good.

Alleged Incendiary Fire.

ZANESVILLE, O., Nov. 28.—An alleged incendiary fire destroyed the Ohio River & Wheeling & Pennsylvania railway station at Belle Valley, Noble county, today. The loss is $7,000.

SAYS PHILIPPINE SCOUTS MAKE EXCELLENT SOLDIERS

SECRETARY OF WAR, WILLIAM H. TAFT.

The annual report of the secretary of war, which was submitted to President Roosevelt yesterday, treated exhaustively the situation in the Philippines, controverting the charges made by enemies of the administration and showing a decreased expenditure by the United States army.

PLAN TO CLEAN THE NORTH SIDE

Representative Francies, by Legislation, Hopes to Drive Burglars Out of Allegheny.

WILL INCREASE THE PENALTY

"In the hope of ridding Allegheny of an undesirable population, I will introduce in the legislature a bill to increase the penalty for burglary."

This announcement was made yesterday by Representative John Francies of Allegheny, when asked what legislation he would father in the coming session of the legislature. "The many burglaries in Allegheny have made it necessary," said he, "that some steps be taken to protect the residents of our city. Neither life or property is safe. Neighboring states have laws, which make it unsafe for the burglar to reside in those commonwealths. They come to Pennsylvania and find Philadelphia and Pittsburgh closed to them. For some reason a haven is offered in Allegheny. When one walks from Stockton avenue to the Sixth street bridge, many men whose faces find a place in the rogue's gallery, can be seen. They are allowed the freedom of the city. With great frequency crimes are committed in Allegheny. Burglaries have become so common on the North Side that I notice the papers have ceased to give them prominence.

"In Pennsylvania we have no law preventing a man from carrying a kit of burglar tools. A couple of years ago, there was a test of this in the local courts. A known criminal was caught in Pittsburgh with a complete set of tools. When he appeared in court he told the judge that he had violated no Pennsylvania statute and the judge had to agree with him. The man was discharged. He is now serving a term in the Western penitentiary for a burglary committed at New Castle.

"In my bill I will make the possession of burglar tools prima facie evidence of a burglary. For the conviction a second time, for house breaking, the minimum penalty will be the maximum which could have been given for the first offense. In case of a third conviction, the minimum penalty will be 25 years and the maximum life imprisonment. With such a law, I think it will be possible to rid Allegheny of a population that is disgracing the city and daily placing life in jeopardy."

BATH TUBS THWART FIRE.

Filled, Owing to Expected Water Shortage, Their Supply Saves Two Houses.

Bath tubs doubtless proved the salvation of considerable property in North Braddock yesterday afternoon. The borough, in company with others in the Turtle Creek valley, had been in the throes of a water shortage, and when fire broke out in a double frame house at 34 and 36 Charles street, a general feeling of alarm spread among the citizens. But they had reckoned without the bath tubs. The latter in both houses had been run full before the water was shut off Sunday.

There was no supply in the mains and the fire department was helpless, but a couple of dauntless fire fighters discovered the tubs brimming full, utilized the precious supply, and extinguished the flames at a loss of $150. The houses were occupied by W. J. Nowotny and Alexander Little.

PITTSBURGHERS WANT JETTIES AT CAPE MAY

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Peter Shields, president of the Cape May Real Estate Company, in which many Pittsburghers are interested, was here today to see Chairman Burton and Representative Acheson regarding a proposition for the government to take up a project at Cape May. The company is building a large harbor and wishes the government to appropriate $500,000 with which to build jetties at the inlet. The proposition is looked upon with favor by the committee.

MAY RECONVENE HIGH COMMISSION

Reciprocity With Canada Is Again Being Considered by the President.

WILL CONSULT MR. FAIRBANKS

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau.
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WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 28.

Tariff revision discussion was again revived today by the announcement the president is considering the advisability of reconvening the British-American joint high commission for the purpose of considering Canadian reciprocity. Senator Fairbanks, chairman of the American commission, when he returns to Washington will have a conference with the president on this subject. The president has not yet determined it would be good policy to convene the commission, but his decision will rest upon the talk he has with Senator Fairbanks.

The British-American joint high commission was appointed in 1898 and its last meeting was held in February, 1899. It was appointed for the purpose of settling all of the questions in dispute between the United States and Canada, 13 in all, among them being the Alaskan boundary dispute, the question of alien labor laws and the question of wreckage charges on the great lakes, as well as reciprocity. On none of the matters was a decision reached.

Since the last meeting of the commission a number of its members have died. Nelson Dingley was succeeded by Sereno E. Payne, chairman of the committee on ways and means. Lord Herschel, chairman of the Canadian commission, dropped dead in Washington in 1899. John W. Foster and ex-Senator Charles J. Faulkner of West Virginia are among the American members.

The demand for Canadian reciprocity now comes principally from New England where the manufacturers of shoes and fabrics are demanding a market for their products be provided for them in Canada. It is the belief of the congressional tariff experts that no terms can be made with Canada that would not mean the sacrifice of an important part of the home market.

L. W. STRAYER.

MISS NANCY C. LEITER WILL BE MARRIED TODAY

To Become the Bride at Washington of Maj. Campbell of the British Army.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—A marriage license was issued today to Maj. Colin Powys Campbell and Miss Nancy C. Leiter. The wedding will take place at noon tomorrow at the home of Mrs. Leiter on Dupont circle. The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. Roland Cotton Smith, rector of St. John's Episcopal church. The marriage will be very quiet on account of the family mourning for Mr. Leiter, whose death occurred in the early summer.

Maj. Campbell arrived in New York Saturday and came on to Washington today. He is a cousin of the duke of Argyle, husband of Princess Louise, sister of King Edward of England and is the son of the Rev. Dr. Colin Campbell of Glasgow. Maj. Campbell is now stationed in India, where he met Miss Leiter four years ago, when she was a guest of the viceroy, Lord Curzon and her sister, Lady Curzon, and where he will take her as his bride.

The name of Campbell is strongly associated with the history of India, it being a Sir Colin Campbell who came to the relief of Lucknow, during the Indian mutiny, singing "The Campbells are coming," the battle song of the Campbell clan. He is a few years Miss Leiter's senior, and is a genial, agreeable man.

MAKING FIGHT FOR NINE-FEET

Bill Is Being Framed for River and Harbor Appropriation.

ACHESON IS ACTIVE

Congressman Takes First Practical Step for a Deeper Channel in the Ohio.

ESTIMATES FOR PENNSYLVANIA

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau.
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WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 28.

Items calling for appropriations of cash aggregating $2,879,688 and authorizations amounting to $2,721,775 26, for Pennsylvania, were submitted to the rivers and harbors committee today. It was the first meeting of the committee to formulate the rivers and harbors appropriation bill, and the items referred to were brought forward by Representative E. F. Acheson, member of the committee from Pennsylvania.

It is estimated that the amounts asked for Pennsylvania are consistent with a bill carrying appropriations of about $40,000,000 cash and as much more in authorizations. Therefore, if the total sum appropriated by the bill reaches that amount, there is a fair chance of Pennsylvania getting fully this much from the government for the improvement of its rivers and harbors. If the total is held down below $40,000,000, then the Pennsylvania items must stand their share of pruning.

First Step for Nine-Foot River.

Contained in the appropriations requested by Mr. Acheson, is the first practical step in the direction of a nine-foot channel for the Ohio river. He submitted one item of $382,000 for the purpose of extending the harbor of Pittsburgh from Davis island dam down to lock No. 6 at the mouth of Raccoon creek, below Beaver, and providing a channel of nine feet that distance. This means the alteration of locks 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 to conform to a nine-foot channel, and if done will mark the beginning of the great work of building a channel of that depth from the mouth of the river to Cairo. The following are the appropriations that Mr. Acheson asked for Pennsylvania:

For rebuilding locks 3 and 2 on the Monongahela river, a cash appropriation of $500,000 and authorization to expend $746,624.

For the completion of locks 2, 3, 4 and 5 on the Ohio river, cash appropriation of $720,688 and authorization of $720,688.

For providing a nine-foot channel down to lock 6 on the Ohio, $382,000.

For completing dam No. 2 on the Allegheny river, $150,000.

For completing the improvements on Erie harbor, $127,000.

For completing the 30-foot channel project on the Delaware river a cash appropriation and an authorization of $1,254,463 26.

For a survey of the Delaware for a 35-foot channel, $10,000.

Will Confer With the President.

At today's session of the committee, the members reported the amounts needed for their respective states and tomorrow they will submit the items that are wanted in other states not represented on the committee. When these amounts have all been collected and the recommendations from the engineer corps of the army are all in, then will begin the paring down process in order to make the aggregate conform to the ideas of the leaders of congress of the amounts that should be appropriated for this purpose. Speaker Cannon arrived today and within a day or two he and other leaders of the house will confer with the president and after that it will be known about how large a bill can be drafted for rivers and harbors.

In addition to the sums named above, Representative Dovener of West Virginia has asked the committee for appropriations for building five more dams on the Ohio river, but they are all outside of Pennsylvania. Then there is the annual appropriation of $10,000 for maintenance of the Ohio river its entire length, part of which should, of course, be charged to Pennsylvania.

Mr. Acheson is very hopeful of getting liberal appropriations for his state and he is especially pleased at the prospect of taking the first step toward the accomplishment of a nine-foot channel for the Ohio. He said:

Mr. Acheson Is Confident.

"Of course, until we know how large the bill is to be I cannot tell how much the requests of Pennsylvania will be pared. The aggregate that I have asked for is cash appropriations of $2,879,688 and authorizations of $2,721,755 26 in addition. I feel quite sure that we will get the money needed to complete locks and dams 2, 3, 4 and 5 and the sum necessary to make a nine-foot channel down to lock 5 beyond Beaver. Once we get started on the nine-foot channel then all future work will be made with reference to that depth. This, in my opinion, is the most practical way of driving the entering wedge. Engineers say that the proper plan is to begin at Pittsburgh and work right down the river, building the dams as we go and making the whole improvement on the basis of a nine-foot stage. They say it is useless to build a dam here and there, for while it improves conditions locally at points along the river, yet the whole improvement is not available until the chain is complete.

"The government engineers say that it will cost but $382,000 to make the necessary changes in the locks and dams that are now building in order to make a nine-foot channel down to lock 6, and that the work can be done in two years. Consequently it seems important that we get this appropriation, and I have reason to believe that we will. The appropriation of $150,000 asked for the Allegheny will

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Miss Nancy Leiter.

STEEL COMMON FIRM ABOVE 30

Reaches Figure Predicted Some Weeks Ago and Maintains the Gain.

WAS ONLY ISSUE THAT HELD

Stockholders' Xmas Cheer

The holders of United States Steel stocks are $276,000,000 better off today in market value than they were six months ago. Here are the figures:

COMMON STOCK.

Date.	Price.	Mkt. Value.
May 12	8⅝	$ 43,265,000
Nov. 28	31⅜	161,384,000
Appreciation in mkt. value..		$118,131,000

PREFERRED STOCK.

May 13	51¼	$184,571,000
Nov. 28	95¼	343,035,000
Appreciation in mkt. value..		$158,462,000
Total appreciation		$276,593,000

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau.
Herald Building, Herald Square.
NEW YORK, Nov. 28.

Steel common today went above 30, the figure predicted some weeks ago in Wall street, when the upward movement began. The rise was in keeping with the opening of the stock market, all the leaders showing initial gains. Steel, however, was the only issue that held, a reaction setting in which wiped out early profits.

The opening in steel shares was the largest on the movement. The sales in the common amounted to 22,000 shares from 30 to 30¼, and in the preferred of 11,000 from 94½ to 95. The operations in the two were of opposite nature. The common was bought and held strong at 30, then forced to 31¼, closing at 31⅜, while the preferred was being sold down to 94¾, but closed at 94¾. The gossip in the street was that the common would be more active for a while than the preferred. Ellingwood and Cunningham and Wolf Bros. were among the largest buyers of it. The matter of large earnings in the present quarter, the average estimate being about $21,000,000, remains the primary basis for the advance. The day's sales of Steel common were 195,000 shares and of preferred 103,000 shares.

Steel manufacturers here declare that the closing of the mills of the Illinois Steel Company does not signify any reverses in the iron and steel industry. It has always been the policy of steel companies to make repairs, improvements, etc., in December, as business in the last month of the year is not as brisk as it is in other months.

Two months ago the company began booking orders for next year's delivery. It has rail orders on the books for 1905 at $28 a ton, the continuance of the present rail schedule being practically guaranteed by the company.

PANAMA'S CASE PRESENTED.

First Conference to Consider Differences With the United States Is Held.

PANAMA, Nov. 28.—The first conference having for its purpose the adjustment of the questions in dispute between the United States and Panama was held this morning. There were present Secretary of War Taft, President Amador, Ricardo Arias, a member of the Panama fiscal commission, and Gen. Guardia, the Panaman minister of war.

The case for Panama was presented, but beyond this fact nothing was given out, the proceedings of the conference being kept secret until an agreement is reached, which probably will be tomorrow.

GEN. COXEY A BANKRUPT.

His Liabilities Amount to $287,000—Plant Is Now in the Hands of a Receiver.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 28.—Gen. Jacob S. Coxey of Mount Vernon, once leader of the "Commonweal" army, tonight filed a personal petition in bankruptcy in the United States court. His liabilities are given as $287,000. His assets consist of 2,500 shares of stock in the Coxey Steel and Silica Sand Company, and an unsecured note for $11,000.

The Coxey Steel and Silica Sand Company is now in the hands of a receiver.

MME. SCHUMANN-HEINK LOSES HER HUSBAND

BOSTON, Nov. 28.—Mme. Schumann-Heink, the well-known singer, received a cable message today announcing the death of her husband, Paul Schumann, at their home near Dresden. Mme. Schumann-Heink was to have begun an engagement here tonight. It is announced she will appear tomorrow night.

Repulsed With Enormous Loss.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 28.—The war office has received information from Chefoo that the Japanese assault on Port Arthur Saturday was repulsed with enormous loss.

EXHAUST TWO BOND ISSUES

Contract Ordinances for Filtration Plant Introduced in Councils.

A RADICAL REVISION

Bigelow Omits from Estimates Cost of Land, Meters, Engineering, Contingencies.

FIGHT STARTED IN COMMON

Director Bigelow's 10 ordinances authorizing the letting of as many contracts for the construction of a filtration plant and the laying of a new main to the South Side from Highland reservoir No. 2, were introduced in select council yesterday afternoon by P. J. Barry and were referred to the filtration committee. The cost of the 10 contracts aggregates $6,000,000, but does not include the cost of land, meters nor engineering work and contingencies. If these are added, the estimate of total cost exceeds Director Bigelow's former estimate, which was $7,152,000.

The contract ordinances do not contain plans and specifications. An attempt was made last night, in common council, to secure the passage of a resolution to get this information from Director Bigelow. The resolution was presented by William Brand and was tabled by a motion made by John Masiowski, Citizen.

Brand stated that information as to the character and size of the filtration plant and other important details was not contained in the contract ordinances and that councils and the filtration committee should have this information before they acted on the ordinances. A. G. Roenigk said that this information was unnecessary as he understood that the sums of money in the ordinances agreed with Director Bigelow's former estimates. Brand said he believed the contrary of this.

Estimates Were Revised.

Dr. J. O. Bockstoce, the new common councilman from the Twenty-second ward, voted with the administration members in favor of the motion to lay Brand's resolution on the table. The Republicans all voted for the resolution. The resolution was tabled by a vote of 22 to 14.

Director Bigelow has revised his former estimates and an inspection of the items show some radical changes. On the work and materials provided for in the 10 ordinances there is a net increase of $100,000. In the contract for the pumping station there is an increase of $150,000 over Bigelow's first estimate. In the contract for sand washing pumps, electrical machinery and auxiliary equipment there is an increase of $45,000 over the first estimate. In the contract for the filtered water reservoir there is an increase of $80,000, and in the contract for pumping engines, boilers, etc., there is an increase of $25,000.

Radical Changes Are Made.

In the contract for the river crossing and connections at Brilliant pumping station, there is a decrease of $80,000 below Director Bigelow's first estimate, but he inserts a new item, in contract No. 8, which provides for river wall, intakes and connections, amounting to $230,000.

The extent of the changes made by the director in his last estimates is further shown by the reductions which are made: There is a reduction of $250,000 in the estimate for the contract for centrifugal pumps and engines, a reduction of $40,000 in the estimated cost of the main from Highland reservoir to the South Side; a reduction of $10,000 in the estimate of the cost of the filter beds, settling basins and covers for the filter beds, besides the reduction of $80,000 in the estimate for the river crossing and connection at Brilliant pumping station.

The following is a list of the 10 contracts and the amount authorized to be expended on each, the contracts aggregating $6,000,000:

Bigelow's New Estimate.

Contract No. 1—Filter beds, settling basins and appurtenances	$3,000,000
Contract No. 2—Filtered water reservoir and appurtenances	480,000
Contract No. 3—River crossing and connections at Brilliant pumping station, and appurtenances	220,000
Contract No. 4—Centrifugal pumps, engines and appurtenances	150,000
Contract No. 5—Boilers, economizers, piping and appurtenances	70,000
Contract No. 6—Sand washer pumps, electric machinery, auxiliary equipment and appurtenances	120,000
Contract No. 7—Pumping station and appurtenances	350,000
Contract No. 8—River wall, intakes, connections and appurtenances	230,000
Contract No. 9—Pumping engines, boilers and appurtenances	250,000
Contract No. 10—Pipe line from Highland reservoir No. 2 to the South Side, and appurtenances	330,000
Total	$6,000,000

Director Bigelow has estimated that it will cost $600,000 to supply the entire city with meters and he has estimated that the total cost of land above Aspinwall will be $415,000. If these amounts are added to the $6,000,000, and the usual 10 per cent allowed for engineering expenses and contingencies, the total cost of filtration, everything included, will be $7,615,000.

Exhausts Two Bond Issues.

The combined issues of 1900, amounting to $2,500,000, and the proposed bond issue of $5,000,000, will make available $7,500,000 for filtration and installation of meters. Of the first bond issue of $2,500,000 there remains $2,200,000, the sum of $300,000 having already been spent for land, for engineering and other expenses connected with the filtration bureau.

Each of the 10 ordinances contains a clause that in case of any dispute between the city and the contractors, touching the quality of any work done or materials furnished under the contract, it shall be referred to the director of public works, whose decision shall be final and conclusive, unless in 10 days thereafter an appeal shall be taken from his decision. If an appeal is taken the dispute shall be settled by two arbitrators, one

to be appointed by the contractor and the other by the mayor.

If these two arbitrators shall fail to agree a third arbitrator shall be appointed and if the first two arbitrators fail to agree upon the selection of the third arbitrator, the appointment shall be made by the court of common pleas No. 2, and if the court fails to make the appointment, the third arbitrator shall then be appointed by the mayor.

There is no provision in any of the contracts for preliminary filtration. According to Director Bigelow's figures the entire amount in the two bond issues, $7,500,000, will probably be exhausted and if preliminary filtration is subsequently added, as Director Bigelow says can be done, it will probably entail another bond issue. The advocates of preliminary filtration propose, if they can muster the votes in councils, to amend the ordinances to include preliminary filtration.

Each ordinance, with the exception of the one for contract No. 1, for the filter beds and settling basins, provides that the money shall be paid out of the $5,000,000 bond issue. The total amount to be paid out of the $5,000,000 bond fund is $4,400,000. The ordinance for contract No. 1, the cost of which aggregates $3,600,000, provides that $2,200,000 shall be taken out of the $5,000,000 bond fund and $1,400,000 out of the $2,500,000 bond fund.

STERRETT TOWNSHIP CAN ANNEX TO CITY

Ordinance Passed Finally by Councils—Other Bills Go Through Both Branches.

Outside of the introduction of the filtration contract ordinances in select council, and the attempt to pass a resolution in common council to secure the plans and specifications for the contracts, there was nothing of unusual importance done in either branch yesterday.

The ordinance authorizing a number of additional employes at the new municipal hospital was amended and went over for reprinting. It was amended to read that the watchmen should "each" receive $2 a day. A large number of street bills, which had passed common were disposed of, including one to connect Dithridge street and Center avenue with the Grant boulevard.

Measures were also passed finally granting the consent of the city to the annexation of Sterrett township; for the appointment of an architect by the bureau of fire; for the employment of laborers in the department of public safety; for the employment of two additional building inspectors and two additional electricians; appropriating $54,5000 from the sale of the engine house at Liberty and Fourth avenues to the Wabash railroad, to the erection of an engine house at Water and Short streets and First avenue; authorizing the purchase of a lot in Soho for a public bath house, and for the public sale of a number of lots in the Fourteenth, Eleventh, Eighteenth, Nineteenth and Twenty-first wards.

In common council last night the ordinance, received from select, authorizing the director of public works to make an agreement with the Pennsylvania railroad for the erection of a stone bridge at Lincoln avenue for $149,000, was passed finally. Dr. J. O. Bockstoce was sworn in.

PEOPLE URGED TO ENTER SUIT AGAINST COMPANY

Water Famine in Borough Causes a Warm Discussion at Wilkinsburg Council Meeting.

The water famine from which Wilkinsburg has just emerged was the subject of a warm discussion at a meeting of the borough council last night. It was urged by members that the Pennsylvania Water Company be compelled to furnish a supply of water despite breaks in machinery which have rendered the town practically defenseless against fire and forced residents to carry water from springs and wells for days at a time.

Councilman Grabe recommended that those who had suffered through the recent water famine enter suit against the water company, and announced that he intended to bring action. The uncertainty of the water supply was driving people to other towns, he said. Councilman S. A. Steel defended the company, saying it could not fairly be held responsible for accidents to its machinery. A resolution was adopted instructing the water committee, composed of S. H. Thompson, J. S. McKelvy and Dr. J. McNall, to see the officials of the water company and urge the imperative need of a better service.

A small blaze at the home of Mrs. Rebecca Herd, 806 Wallace avenue, caused considerable excitement in the neighborhood because of the low pressure of water. Firemen were forced to use their chemical apparatus to extinguish the blaze.

In Edgewood the water famine has aroused the town to the point of beginning a movement for a municipal water plant. A public meeting is to be held tomorrow evening to discuss the matter.

KINGS ACKNOWLEDGE PRESIDENT'S COURTESY

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 28.—Answers to telegrams dispatched by President Francis of the exposition at the suggestion of President Roosevelt to the chief executives of the countries whose pavilions and exhibits the president visited on his recent tour of the world's fair grounds were received today from King Edward of England and Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria.

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DIED.

JORDAN—At Barnesville, O., on Monday, November 28, 1904, at 9:20 p. m., MRS. ELIZABETH JORDAN, widow of John L. Jordan.

Notice of funeral later.

PRESIDENT IN PITTSBURGH

Mr. Roosevelt Spent Eight Minutes at Union Station—Was Greeted by Hundreds.

HE MADE A HAPPY SPEECH

President Roosevelt was in Pittsburgh last night for eight minutes. He was here just long enough to say "Glad to see you" and "Good-by." He was greeted by several hundred people who enjoyed every minute of his visit.

When the president appeared on the rear platform of the observation car, "Signet," he was greeted with cheers. The executive reciprocated with the smile which cannot be duplicated. Departing from his usual custom, he did not say he was "de-lighted," but from his manner there was no doubt but that he thoroughly enjoyed this reception. The president made a brief speech in which he said:

It is a pleasure to see you all here. It has been but 48 hours since I was last in Pittsburgh. I have been to St. Louis to see the fair and have thoroughly enjoyed it. But on this trip I have enjoyed even more the opportunity afforded to catch a glimpse of you, my fellow countrymen, while passing through Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Missouri. These states have all done well for me, but Pennsylvania has done best of all.

Tribute to Pittsburgh.

It is a pleasure to greet you of this great industrial center of marvelous growth, where are produced the best type of American citizens. Again I welcome you and will be pleased to welcome you when you come to see me. Good night and good luck.

Amid cheers and applause, the president smiling and bowing stepped to the door of his car. He stood for an instant lavishing his smile on the men of Pittsburgh. It seemed as though he desired to say something more. From out of the crowd came the query, "How about Missouri?"

Waving his hand in the direction of the interrogator, the president shouted: "Missouri is sure all right."

Just as he was disappearing, the president cried out:

"You are all all right."

There was a big crowd, without the gates at the Union station, that could get but a glimpse of the president while several hundred men had succeeded in getting into the trainshed. They lined the platform along the last Panhandle track upon which the president's train came into the station. The safety of the executive was looked after by the full corps of railroad detectives, Supt. Thomas McQuaide and his 14 sleuths and 30 uniformed men under Assistant Supt. Kennelly. On the train were a number of secret service men.

Just a Suit of Pajamas.

The train arrived at 8:32. It consisted of the combination car "Pontinus," the sleeping car "Guinana" and the observation car, "Signet." Hanging in a drawing room of the "Signet," was a garment some people mistook for a uniform of kahki. It was just a suit of pajamas of a yellowish hue.

The train was in charge of Charles Watts, general superintendent of passenger transportation of the Pennsylvania lines. The engine hauling the president into the city was No. 8484. The crew was as follows: James Convoy, engineer; Charles Dowder, fireman; Jacob Shurtz, conductor; Frank Hottel, brakeman, and R. G. Eisaman, flagman.

It was 8:40 when the signal for the start east was given. As the train got in motion, the president appeared on the platform and waved "good-bys" until the night shut him from view. He was hauled to Altoona by engine No. 2435. The crew was George Gibson, engineer; R. R. Baughman, fireman; George M. Stuek, conductor; R. W. Mollison, brakeman, and R. A. Willett, flagman. The train was in charge of David Steel, assistant train master, and Willis Block, assistant road foreman of engineers, rode on the engine. The president is returning to Washington by easy stages and three hours and 15 minutes were allowed for the run to Altoona. He will arrive at the capital at 7 o'clock this morning.

"Magnetic Woman" Visits Him.

Just before the train pulled out of the exposition grounds Sunday night, a woman leading a Texas steer with a pair of horns spreading nearly four feet, approached the car. She was stopped.

"Try to lift me," she suggested to the officers. She was not crazy, but proved to be the "Magnetic Woman," who possesses the peculiar power of preventing anybody, however strong, from raising her from the ground when she so wills it. She had found the steer at one of the shows on the grounds and had brought it along to show to the president. At the suggestion of the officers, she led her curious pet away.

At Indianapolis, where the first stop was made after daylight yesterday, only a small crowd had gathered on the station platform. The president had not arisen and the people, although disappointed at not seeing him, made no noisy demonstration.

At Richmond, Ind., the president addressed a crowd, saying:

"I am very glad to see you. I know Richmond of old. I have always thought highly of Indiana, but during the last three weeks have had cause to think even more highly of it. (Voice in crowd): 'How about Missouri?'

"I tell you Missouri is surely all right. Gentlemen, I want you to feel that I very deeply appreciate the responsibility put upon me by such a vote as that of November 8, and so far as in me lies I will, with your help and with the help of those who represent you, do all I can to justify your confidence."

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 28.—President Roosevelt's train reached here at 1:30 o'clock. The president greeted a large crowd at the station, expressing his thanks for the reception.

The president spying little Louise Jordan, daughter of the Union station express messenger, waving her hands at him, pushed through the crowd and shook her hand, thanking her for her greeting.

He Gets Another Coon.

DENISON, O., Nov. 28.—The president's special was greeted by a great crowd here. The train pulled into the station shortly before 4:30 o'clock, and scores of school children were in the crowd. On the journey to St. Louis the president was presented with a raccoon, and he received another present of the same sort here, which he accepted and promised to place in the zoo at Washington, "where," said he, "I hope it will bring me lots of good luck." Referring to the first gift, and addressing himself especially to the children, the president said:

"I want to tell you the coon is getting along well. He feeds on everything, and shows little inclination to feed on every man, too. The fair was a most beautiful and wonderful scene, and I am very glad I went. I was glad to see the fair, but I am still gladder to see all of you here, the people of these states and Missouri. I wish you good night and good luck, especially the little folks."

Stoned the President's Train.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Nov. 28.—A special to the News from Brazil, Ind., says that while the pilot engine preceding President Roosevelt's special train was passing a lonely place near Brazil today four men threw stones, breaking several windows. The engine was stopped and secret service men chased the men, but the stone-throwers escaped.

President Reaches Altoona.

ALTOONA, PA., Nov. 28.—President Roosevelt's special train arrived here at 11:45 and left for Washington five minutes later.

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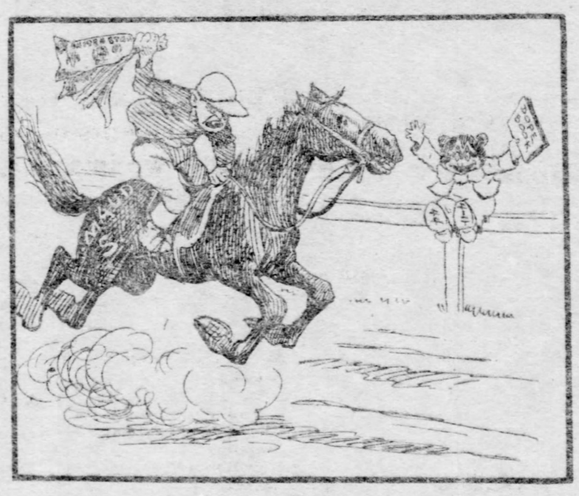

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PITTSBURGH WORK IS GOING TO THE ORIENT

Fully $5,000,000 Worth of Material Contracted for in This Country.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Fully $5,000,000 worth of machinery, etc., have been contracted for in the west, principally by the Japanese government within the last few weeks. One contract alone calls for no less than 2,000 engine lathes, for installation in arsenals and shipyards at Tokyo, Osaka, and Nagasaki. These huge requisitions are for immediate shipment, the government paying a premium varying from 10 to 25 per cent for prompt delivery.

One Japanese house which represents important Pittsburgh interests in the mikado's empire, has unfilled orders on its books for upward of $1,000,000 worth of various machinery which it is impossible to place, at the moment, owing to the unprecedented demand. The demand for Westinghouse electrical equipment is particularly urgent.

The Carnegie Steel Company, branch of the United States Steel Corporation, has a contract on hand for 18,000 tons of steel rails for the Seoul-Fusan railroad, which system the Japanese military authorities are constructing with all haste in Korea. The rails will be carried to the far east by three specially chartered steamers sailing from Tacoma.

Hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of Pittsburgh structural material is also being sent overland to Tacoma, Seattle and Vancouver.

SHE WANTED TO PAINT PRESIDENT ON GLASS

Milwaukee Female Artist Is Arrested by Secret Service Men While Trying to Get Audience With Mr. Roosevelt.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 28.—After trying to force her way into the residence of William H. Thompson, for the express purpose of painting the picture of President Roosevelt, Miss Marla Herndt, said to be a glass painter from Munich, Germany, but claiming to occupy studio quarters in Milwaukee, Wis., has been arrested by secret service men.

The woman appeared to be about 28 years old, was fairly well dressed and showed refinement. She walked up the steps, rang the bell and explained to the butler in broken English, after giving him her card, that she had written to the president a week ago that she intended to call upon him during his St. Louis visit and paint his picture on glass.

Detective Vlehle of the secret service seized and led her down the steps. He sought to persuade her to return to her stopping place, but persuasion availed nothing and the woman was finally placed under arrest. She was released at the police station after having satisfied the authorities she meant no harm to the president.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., Nov. 28.—Miss Maria Harndt has an excellent reputation in Milwaukee. She had a painting on exhibition at the world's fair. She is a miniature specialty of painting windows for churches and of painting portraits on glass.

DENTIST CHARGED WITH ATTACKING YOUNG GIRLS

BALTIMORE, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Dr. Edward B. Dawson of Forest Park, a well-known dentist, was this morning indicted by the grand jury in four cases of alleged felonious attack upon four little girls between the ages of 10 and 12, inmates of the Oriso Home at Forest Park. Dr. Dawson has fled the city.

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TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

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NEW ALVIN—The Harry Davis stock company in "The Village Postmaster," 2 and 8 p. m.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—Continuous vaudeville bill of 15 acts, including an interesting demonstration with liquid air, 1:30 to 10:45 p. m.

AVENUE—Harry Davis' musical travesty company in "Barbara Fidgety," 8 p. m.

GAYETY—"The Missourians," 2 and 8 p. m.

BIJOU—Chauncey Olcott in "A Romance of Athlone," 8 p. m.

EMPIRE—Madame Herrmann, Queen of Magic, and a company of all-star vaudeville performers, 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE—Ross and Fenton in "Twirly-Whirly," 2 and 8 p. m.

OLD CITY HALL—Anna Eva Fay, 8 p. m.

WILLIAMS' ACADEMY—The Tiger Lilies, burlesquers, 2 and 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE GARDEN—Skating afternoon and evening. Hockey tonight—P. H. S. vs. Wilkinsburg.

PITTSBURGH CARNEGIE MUSIC HALL—Mozart club, J. P. McCollum, director, in Dvorak's "Stabat Mater" and parts of "Lohengrin," 8:15 p. m.

FIGHT FOR NINE FEET

Continued from First Page.

complete all the work authorized on that stream and give three locks and dams.

"The work on Erie harbor was estimated to cost $375,000, and $250,000 has already been appropriated. It is said by the engineers that $127,000 will be all that is needed to finish the work. There has already been spent on the Delaware river between Philadelphia and deep water about $3,600,000, and it is estimated that $2,254,463.26 will be required to complete the 30-foot channel project. It is roughly estimated that to add five feet of depth to the channel would cost $5,800,000.

"I notice that Gen. Bingham is quoted as saying that as soon as congress meets he will call a meeting of the Pennsylvania delegation to indorse the project for the 35-foot channel for the Delaware. If this action is taken we will ask the delegation to indorse the nine-foot channel proposition for the Ohio river."

Representative Dovener, ranking member of the committee, is enthusiastic over the Ohio river improvement scheme. He said today:

"Far from being a purely local affair for West Virginia, the improvement of the Ohio river is one of vast importance to all the states bordering on it. This is especially true in connection with the Panama canal project. River traffic has reached such proportions that the stream is a great artery of national trade and important interests call for its care and development.

"I would not like to make an individual prediction as to the amount the bill will carry. The committee has been together to exchange views on that. Some members would like to hold it down to $20,000,000, while to others $100,000,000 would seem a better figure. You can guess anything between those figures."

L. W. STRAYER.

MAKES CHARGE OF ILLEGAL DETENTION IN SANITARIUM

Suit Brought in New York to Secure Freedom of a Young Pittsburgh Woman.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Interesting revelations are expected in the supreme court in Brooklyn tomorrow when the case of H. J. Bebro, who conducts a collecting agency, against Dr. Bond, proprietor of a sanitarium in Yonkers, N. Y., comes up for hearing before Justice Marean.

Bebro charges that Miss Mabel Spang, who is related to Charles H. Spang of Pittsburgh, with a local residence at No. 63 East Seventy-eighth street, has been detained against her will in Dr. Bond's sanitarium.

At Mr. Spang's house tonight it was admitted that Miss Spang had been in the sanitarium since last summer, according to the advice of her physician, and that the members of the family were entirely satisfied with the treatment accorded her there; that she was not under duress in any sense and that she had much improved in condition. It was added that nothing was known of the interest Mr. Bebro could possibly have in the case, but the doctor at the sanitarium says that Mr. Bebro is acting for a woman friend of Miss Spang, who is not yet 21 years of age.

TO BUY SHIPS FOR CZAR.

Russian Agents Are Negotiating for Vessels to Form Part of Emperor Nicholas' War Fleet.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Agents of the Russian government are here negotiating with vessel owners for ships for the czar's navy. The agents had completed arrangements for the purchase of the ocean tug Duckenbach before coming here from New York.

The yacht Atlanta is being hurriedly fitted up as a cruiser at Cramps, and it is reported as soon as she gets on the high seas she will be turned over to a Russian crew, which will be secretly shipped at some point off the Atlantic coast.

The Russian agents will go down the Delaware river tomorrow to examine two ships.

Mrs. Mary A. Jamieson.

Mrs. Mary A. Jamieson, aged 76, widow of John A. Jamieson, died at her home, 7448 Church street, Swissvale, yesterday afternoon. She was a native of Pittsburgh and had lived in Swissvale for 12 years. She was a member of the Swissvale Presbyterian church and is survived by a son and daughter. The funeral services will be held at the residence at 2:30 tomorrow afternoon.

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MRS. CHADWICK HAS DISAPPEARED

Woman With Mysterious Millions Leaves Her Hotel in New York.

TRANSACTIONS ENORMOUS

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick has vanished. The woman who, is alleged, succeeded in borrowing more than $600,000 on securities that sound like the mythical Humbert millions, sealed in a safe because of litigation, has left the Holland house. The hotel management says it has no knowledge of her whereabouts, and that she went away on Saturday leaving no address.

Simultaneously with the news of her departure from the hotel comes the tidings of the suspension of a large bank in Ohio, where, as the wife of a wealthy and prominent Cleveland physician, she lived in a palace and moved in the millionaire class. The suspended bank is the Citizens National of Oberlin, reputed to be one of the soundest financial institutions in that state. The report got around that the bank had loaned money largely to Mrs. Chadwick—the news of the disclosures consequent on the suit against her by Herbert D. Newton for $190,000 having become public property—and a run resulted that culminated in the appearance upon the bank's doors of this notice: "This bank will not open this morning, nor until further notice. The bank is in charge of the national examiner for examination and investigation."

Loans Said to Be $4,000,000.

The amount of the loans made to Mrs. Chadwick by this bank are said to aggregate $4,000,000. The whole story is a riot of splendid amounts. Mysterious millions glitter all through it. The name of a man as rich as any man in America, if not in the world, figures in the tale. A promissory note with his signature is said to have been part of the wealth that induced Herbert D. Newton to lend Mrs. Chadwick $190,800. But the main mountain of wealth that dazzled the money lenders who accommodated the physician's wife was a heap of securities amounting to $5,000,000 which were supposed to be locked up in the vaults of the Wade Park Banking Company of Cleveland.

A Mr. Ira Reynolds is represented as the trustee of this vast fund that was said to pay Mrs. Chadwick $175,000 every six months, but Mr. Reynolds will make no statement concerning the securities that are in his charge.

Before she left the Holland house Mrs. Chadwick indignantly denied that she was the Elizabeth Bigley who was arrested for forgery in Canada in March 1879, or that she subsequently as "Mme. Denver," alias "Lydia D. Scott," alias "Mme. Clingan," alias "Mrs. Bagley," alias "Mrs. Dr. Hoover," was convicted of forgery in Toledo in 1899 and sentenced to nine years in the penitentiary. This convicted forger, whoever she was, was pardoned by Gov. McKinley in 1883.

Husband Is Well Known.

There is no question as to the identity of Dr. Chadwick. He has long been a prominent physician in the middle west and was such long before he married the present Mrs. Chadwick in 1897. Her son has also denied positively that Mrs. Chadwick was the clairvoyant, hypnotist and fortune teller who made many victims in Toledo before the law got her in its grip.

Neither son nor mother would, however, tell anything of the history of Mrs. Chadwick before she became the wife of the physician. The doctor is said to be in Europe, but his present abiding place is not divulged, which certainly does not lessen the present mystery.

One of those who has abundant faith in Mrs. Chadwick is her attorney, Philip Carpenter, who represented her in the transactions that preceded the filing of the suit by Newton. Mr. Carpenter says that so far from being engaged in any illegitimate financial transactions Mrs. Chadwick has insisted on her obligation to pay in full notes which he informed her were illegal and which could not be collected against her.

CLEVELAND, Nov. 28.—Herbert B. Newton, the Brookline (Mass.) capitalist, who recently sued Mrs. Cassie Chadwick for over $190,000, which he loaned her on notes, filed a motion in the common pleas court today, asking for the appointment of a receiver of the alleged securities belonging to Mrs. Chadwick, said to be in the custody of Ira Reynolds at the Wade Park bank.

The court issued subpoenas for both Mrs. Chadwick and Mr. Reynolds. The latter is ordered to bring into court tomorrow morning all certificates and securities he may hold belonging to Mrs. Chadwick. Mrs. Chadwick is commanded to bring into court a full list of all securities she may have.

OBERLIN, O., Nov. 28.—President C. T. Beckwith of the failed Citizens National bank, personally has assisted in loaning Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick $102,000. Concerning the condition of the bank, Vice President M. M. Soule said: "It is only a hope that we will secure assistance from New York."

President Beckwith said that there were two checks in the bank as security for what had been loaned to Mrs. Chadwick. One check is for $500,000, the other for $250,000.

WILL REORGANIZE FLEET.

Russian Volunteer Navy Service Is to Be Built Up and Greatly Strengthened After the War.

ODESSA, Nov. 28.—The volunteer navy service will be completely reorganized after the war. The fleet will be strengthby the construction of new ships, many liners and other steamers will be bought for auxiliary naval purposes. The direct line from Odessa to New York, projected two years ago, will be placed in operation and it is probable there will be another line from Libau to the United States in order to obtain Russian emigrant traffic and build up the district.

Gen. Kaulbars, commander of the Third Manchurian army, left Odessa this afternoon for Mukden, where he expects to arrive December 14.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived, November 28.

Greenock—Mongolian, New York via Bermuda and Liverpool.
Gibraltar—Hohenzollern, New York, for Naples and Genoa.
Glasgow—Columbia, New York.
Cherbourg—Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, New York via Plymouth, for Bremen; Hamburg, New York.

Sailed, November 28.

Rotterdam—Amsterdam, New York.
Hamburg—Belgravia, New York.
Moville—Astoria, New York.
Palermo—Slavonia, New York.

Passed, November 28.

Lizard—Rhyniand, Philadelphia, for Antwerp; Hannover, Bremen, for New York; Vaderland, New York, for Dover.
Inishrahull—Laurentian, New York, via St. Johns, N. F., for Glasgow.

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PROF. WILLIAM M. PAXTON IS DEAD AT PRINCETON

Was Pastor of First Presbyterian Church of Pittsburgh Fifteen Years.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

PRINCETON, N. J., Nov. 28.—Prof. William M. Paxton, D. D., LL. D., who was lately president of the faculty of Princeton Theological seminary, passed away this morning. His death was caused by a paralytic stroke which he suffered directly after the Yale-Princeton football game on November 12.

Dr. Paxton was in his 81st year. He bore the distinction of heading the list of trustees of Princeton university. He leaves a widow and seven children, and is much lamented by the student body of the college. The interment will be made Wednesday afternoon, when he will receive a trustee's burial.

Until 1902 Dr. Paxton was professor of ecclesiastical, political and pastoral theology at the Princeton Theological seminary for 23 years. When he resigned his professorship he also gave up his office as president of the faculty of the seminary which he had held for two years.

Prof. Paxton was born in Adams county, Pa., June 7, 1824, and graduated from Princeton seminary in 1843. His first call came in 1849 when he was pastor of the Presbyterian church at Greencastle, Pa., for three years. He then accepted a call in Pittsburgh and was pastor of the First Presbyterian church for 15 years. In 1869 he became professor of sacred rhetoric in the Western Theological seminary, but six years later he accepted the pastorate of the First Presbyterian church of New York city and remained there until 1883, when he came to the Princeton Theological seminary.

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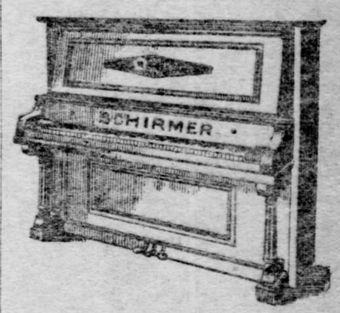

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UNION SEMINARY PLACED ON RACK

Presbyterians Have No Interest in Action Taken by New York Istitutions, Says Dr. Gregg.

GRADUATES UNDER SUSPICION

"Any action on the part of Union Theological seminary of New York is of no more interest to Presbyterians than to Episcopalians, Congregationalists or Baptists. The report that Union seminary is to discard the Westminster confession of faith is of no more import to Presbyterians than if they decided to adopt the creed of Buddah," declared the Rev. Dr. David Gregg, president of the Western Theological seminary yesterday afternoon.

Continuing, he said: "Western Theological seminary is the place to get true blue Presbyterian ministers; they don't teach them any higher Westminster standards elsewhere. Graduates of Western are admitted into any presbytery on their certificate. Graduates of Union must pass examination along the same lines as applicants from seminaries of foreign denominations, and in their examinations they will be asked whether or not they believe in the Westminster confession of faith.

"Dr. Hall, the president of Union, is reported to have said that graduates of Union seminary are admitted to presbyteries. Yes, they well know where to go. They couldn't get in the Pittsburgh or Allegheny presbyteries. They might be admitted into the presbyteries of New York and Brooklyn where the majority are of the most liberal views. But in almost every other presbytery any graduate of Union applying for admission comes with a big interrogation point before him. Suspicion is at once aroused as to why he did not attend a Presbyterian seminary. Members of presbytery can find little excuse for an admitted Presbyterian seeking ministerial tuition at Union, for Union seminary is not a Presbyterian seminary and never was in the true and complete sense.

How Seminary Was Organized.

"Union seminary was organized in the 30's by a body of Presbyterians, who wishing to have control of the institution, formed a board of directors with full authority in conducting the institution. All other institutions laying claim to Presbyterianism are under the direct jurisdiction of the general assembly in which they are situated. Every professor in Western has to have his appointment ratified by the general assembly; even my appointment as president had to be confirmed; every student who graduates must have his certificate confirmed by the general assembly and when that confirmation is made he is eligible to preach the gospel of the Presbyterian church anywhere on earth. Every action on the part of the board of trustees of Western and all other strictly Presbyterian seminaries, are submitted in the form of minutes to a committee appointed by the general assembly and must be ratified by them.

"For a time the board of directors of Union seminary submitted their reports to the general assembly, but this action was wholly voluntary. After a time they stopped this practice, also wholly of their own accord. They were never called upon to make report to general assembly. It was the purpose and intention of the Presbyterians who organized the seminary to teach the Westminster standards, but their desire to retain full authority over an institution which they had established with their own money admitted of establishing any principles the management saw fit.

Always Acted Independently.

"The institution is today, and has always been, a union entirely independent of the Presbyterian church, and any action rescinding the Westminster confession of faith or any other standard of the Presbyterian church, is not of especial interest to Presbyterians."

The sole topic of conversation in the Presbyterian book rooms yesterday, among clergymen of that denomination, was Union seminary and its reported repudiation of the Westminster confession of faith. All were a unit in voicing the opinion of Dr. Gregg that any action on the part of Union seminary was divorced of any special bearing on Presbyterianism, it being unanimously conceded that the institution is independent of any direct affiliation with the church.

Dr. David S. Schaff was present during the discussion, but he refused to talk further upon the matter. He stated to several intimate friends that the report of the alleged repudiation which he is credited with having made public at the reception given on Thanksgiving night by Mrs. William Thaw, in honor of the Rev. Dr. F. L. Patton, of Princeton, was in no sense intended to be a public announcement; that what he did say was said in the course of a private conversation and that any statement President Hall of Union might have made should be accepted as a final termination of the controversy.

What the Confession is.

The Westminster Confession of Faith is the latest of great Protestant creeds and the creed of Presbyterian churches throughout the world. It extends to 33 chapters, beginning with "Holy Scripture" and ending with "Last Judgment." Of the 33 chapters, 21 are doctrinal; the first 19 and the last two. Others concern such subjects as Christian liberty, religious worship, oaths and vows, the civil magistrate, the church, the sacraments, synods and councils.

The tone of the doctrinal chapters is that of formal Calvinism. The ecclesiastical spirit is Puritan-Presbyterian. "God alone" is declared to be "Lord of the conscience;" yet the "publishing of opinions contrary to the light of nature, or to the known principles of Christianity," is declared to be matter of censure by the church and of punishment by civil magistrate.

In composition the confession is a comprehensive summary of theological truth, showing logical skill in deducting particular doctrines from main principles.

The confession was devised by the Westminster assembly, which assembled in England at call of parliament, in 1643. It consisted of 121 clergymen, assisted by 10 lords and 20 commoners as lay assessors. In the third year of the Westminster assembly the document was completed and laid before parliament. While the assembly was created in the interests of the Church of England, the Presbyterians greatly predominated, and many appointed members, principally bishops of the Episcopal church, were prevented from attending the 1,163 sessions which the assembly held, by counter ordinances from the king.

TO HOLD MASS MEETING URGING CHURCH UNION

In connection with the movement tending toward the unification of denominations of Presbyterial doctrines, a mass meeting has been arranged for tomorrow night in the First United Presbyterian church, Fifth avenue, Oakland, in which members of many local Reformed, United Presbyterian, Presbyterian, Cumberland Presbyterian and Reformed Presbyterian congregations are expected to participate. Addresses will be made by clergymen of various denominations, prominent among whom will be the Rev. Dr. Robert F. Coyle of Denver, Col., and the Rev. Dr. Samuel J. S. Nichols of St. Louis, Mo.

"Fighting Parson" Case Still On.

Members of the committee investigating the charges against S. T. Montgomery, the "fighting parson" of the Jefferson township United Presbyterian church, gathered in the United Presbyterian book rooms yesterday morning, but owing to the absence of several members deferred any action until next week. Mr. Montgomery was present. The committee will have to report to the Monongahela presbytery which meets in Swissvale on December 27.

Whether one seeks rest and relaxation from over-strained nerves or desires merely to escape the rigors of the northern winter, no more favored spot can be found than the Pine Forest inn, of Summerville, S. C. Dry, clear air and healthful, invigorating climate make the maximum amount of outdoor life possible. Just now the hunting season offers great inducements. Quail and turkey abound as well as fox and deer. Guides and trained dogs may be engaged at reasonable rates. Outdoor games, golf, etc.; livery; points of historic interest and beautiful drives. The inn is heated by open grates and steam; perfect ventilation, broad piazzas and sun parlors. Send for booklet.

STEEL FREIGHT RATE CUT IS IMPROBABLE

Continuation of Export Rates to May 1 About All That Is Expected.

Prospects for a reduction of freight rates on articles of iron and steel have grown very slight within the last few weeks. It was hoped by some manufacturers that the railroad companies would grant a reduction, effective with the first of the year, from the high rates which are now being charged, but this is improbable.

The fight still seems to be over the price of rails. The railroad companies and the steel companies both wish reduction, but neither seems willing to start the cut. If rails were reduced to $26, it is possible that there would be a reduction in some freight rates at least.

The reduction that was made a year ago on iron and steel freight rates from the Pittsburgh district to Atlantic ports for export have been continued a second time. They were made effective originally on January 1 last, to continue until August 1. They were continued then until the end of the year, and by action which has just been announced these rates will remain in effect until April 30. Pittsburgh is more affected than any other section, as the bulk of exported steel products come from this immediate section.

Steel concerns throughout this district are complaining much over the failure of the car supply. There seems to be little trouble with yard or track congestion. The trouble is that not enough cars can be had. The grain movement has taken to the west a large portion of the box cars belonging to lines reaching Pittsburgh, and many articles of iron and steel are shipped in that equipment on account of the weather protection.

Gondola cars are also scarce. Every furnace is rushing its ore from the lake ports in order to make room for the immense amounts now being unloaded there at the close of the period of lake navigation.

NEAR THE CENTURY MARK WHEN CLAIMED BY DEATH

Mrs. Christina Eisenbeis Passed Away After Living 70 Years on the North Side.

Mrs. Christina Barbara Eisenbeis, one of the oldest residents of Allegheny, is dead at the home of her grand-daughter, Mrs. Edward P. Kerr, 808 Church avenue, at the age of 96. Mrs. Eisenbeis was born in Wurtemburg, Germany, in 1809, and was the daughter of David and Christina Gern. In 1832 she came to this country with her husband, the late Gottlieb Eisenbeis. For a time they lived in Baltimore, but for the past 70 years the venerable woman had made her home in

Mrs. Christina Barbara Eisenbeis.

Allegheny. Her husband for many years conducted a brewery on the North Side, and for some time prior to his death manufactured vinegar in Spring Garden borough.

About a year ago, Mrs. Eisenbeis, while visiting relatives in Brushton, fell and broke her arm. She suffered for some time from shock, but up until a few days ago could read the papers and do needlework. Until a few days before her death she was quite active. She is survived by the following children: John G. of Oil City, Louis of McDonald, Henry and William, Allegheny; Mrs. Henry Friend and Mrs. Mary Friend, Allegheny. A sister, Mrs. C. Spunagle, 80 years old, is still living. There are also living 30 grandchildren, 40 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren. Until the time of her death Mrs. Eisenbeis was a member of the Wiefershausen Lutheran church of Allegheny.

MOZART CLUB CONCERT.

Opening of Organization's 27th Season, Tonight, Occasion for Rendition of Notable Program.

The opening concert of the Mozart club's twenty-seventh season will be given at the Pittsburgh Carnegie music hall this evening. The chorus will sing Drovak's "Stabat Mater" and the finale to act one of Wagner's "Lohengrin." The accompaniments will be by the Pittsburgh orchestra and the solo parts will be undertaken by Miss Anna Gertrude Clark, soprano; Miss Winifred Reahard, contralto; Dan T. Beddoe, tenor and William Harper, bass.

Wonderfully gifted as a melodist, Drovak was a harmonist of rare ability, and his mastery of orchestral color and effect is undoubted. The "Stabat Mater" represents the work of only six weeks, but no trace of haste is visible in the score. It was first performed by the London Musical society, in 1883, under the composer's direction. Within a short time it was given at a May festival in this city, but since that time the "Stabat Mater" has not had a hearing in Pittsburgh. The work requires a quarter of solo voices, a large chorus, and the full modern orchestra. Each of these factors has abundant opportunity of the most grateful sort, and each will be heard to best advantage.

The "Lohengrin" excerpt was performed at the Mozart concert some six years since, with such telling effect that its repetition has frequently been requested. The selection begins with the "King's Prayer," followed by a quintet of solo voices and the inspiring finale to the first act, which is greatly enhanced by the large chorus. G. A. Kraber, baritone, will assume the part of Frederick in this selection.

Brakeman Fell from Box Car.

Harry Blakesley, a Pennsylvania railroad brakeman, was probably fatally injured at Copeland station yesterday morning. With another brakeman he was riding in a box car which had a lattice door. The latter swung open and struck a fence. Blakesley was thrown out of the car and had his skull fractured. His companion also fell from the car, but escaped with but a few trifling injuries.

Will Lecture on Father Heyer.

Under the auspices of the Senior Luther league of Grace church, Allegheny, the pastor, the Rev. G. Irving Lenker, will lecture next Tuesday evening on "Father Heyer—A Missionary." Father Heyer was the first American Lutheran minister in the mission field and established many local congregations. Invitations have been issued to young peoples' societies of all denominations.

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Fine Hosiery for Christmas Presents.

What a pleasant surprise it is to open an unpretentious box and find reposing therein a quarter dozen or even a single pair of silk stockings—no girl ever gave another a more acceptable present.

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Black silk hose, perfectly plain, $1.25 to $3.00 pair.

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Children's fleece-lined hose, ribbed and plain, 25c.
Women's silk and wool hose, $1.50 pair.
Women's cotton hose, lined with silk fleece, $1.50 pair.
Children's fine German wool hose, Staghead brand, all necessary parts reinforced. These sell regularly at 70c to $1.30 per pair, specially priced at 50c pair regardless of size.
Women's wool and cashmere hose, black and gray mixtures, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00 and up to $4.50 pair.

Gift Suggestions from the Optical Store.

On first thoughts one would think there was little in this department of a gift nature, but on second thoughts one sees quite a few articles which make the most acceptable of gifts. Here will be found fine opera glasses in all styles, telescopes and many new and beautiful patterns in Lorgnettes of silver, gold, gunmetal and genuine shell.

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Tuesday, November 29, 1904.

When one reads the list of offenses of which J. Henry Jahn was convicted it cannot but cause astonishment to note that the total of the sentences imposed is only a fine of $50 and six months in jail. He was convicted of obtaining money under false pretenses, of assault and battery upon a woman, of embezzlement and forgery. Severer penalties have been imposed for simple larceny committed in some moment of temptation.

It seems likely that President Roosevelt's order fixing the age of 62 as the beginning of age disability pension allowance will be an actual economy to the government. As no other facts are necessary to support a pension application on the score of age disability, the work of the pension office is greatly reduced and it is estimated that in a short time the commissioner of pensions will be able to dispense with the services of about 500 clerks. The number of medical examiners will also be reduced. At present there is a board of medical examiners in nearly every county in the United States, but it is believed that in a few years only one board in each state and territory will be necessary.

The ordinances authorizing the letting of contracts for the filtration plant were introduced in select council yesterday and referred to the filtration committee. That committee of the previous councils made a reputation for delay which the present committee should avoid by prompt action. It is reported that a company which has some patented filter devices which it wants to introduce into Pittsburgh will endeavor to have the contracts amended so that the specifications will cover that system as well as the sand filtration system which has been adopted. Of course, it is an impossibility to draw specifications so as to cover radically different systems, and such a demand can be only an attempt to undo the work of years and foist upon the people some inferior scheme instead of the system which they want and have twice voted for.

Dispatches from St. Petersburg declare that the zemstvo memorial has raised what is really a national crisis. The czar is believed to be weary of the war and disposed to welcome any honorable means to end it and to appease the discontent of his people, but the court party whose policy brought on the war is still influential and obstinately resists any concessions. On the other hand, the present minister of the interior is equally determined to persevere in his liberal policy and to resign his office if he is overruled. What will be the issue of this conflict it is impossible to anticipate, but the war may serve as an excuse for a temporizing policy. That will, however, simply postpone but not decide the issue. Both as regards her internal and her external interests it is becoming almost a necessity for Russia to extricate herself from the fatal entanglements created by her reckless Manchurian policy.

Premier Combes sustained a defeat in committee on his bill for the separation of church and state in France, but the vote was taken in the absence of some of his supporters, and it is expected that reconsideration will be secured hereafter. Premier Combes is bent upon carrying through the measure and he appears to have the support of the electorate. His determination is probably an unexpected sequel to the action of the vatican in raising an issue with the government as to the interpretation of the concordat. It was generally assumed that no French government would push differences to the point of an actual breach which might involve the abrogation of the concordat and the loss by France of its protectorate of Roman Catholic missions in the east. Not only was Premier Combes undeterred by such possibilities, but he actually welcomed them and took the initiative himself to end all connection between church and state.

According to a Frenchman who has arrived at Chefoo, Gen. Kuropatkin has a new automobile in which he can make rapid trips along his line of fortifications, now 25 miles long. This gives a different idea of the state of the Manchurian roads than has been previously entertained, even although cold weather has come to solidify them. Gen. Kuropatkin's use of his automobile is hardly likely to be so extensive as the French observer surmises, for no machine has yet been invented that can negotiate ground over which a horse can scramble. His possession of such a machine would rather indicate that the Russian army has gone into permanent winter quarters, and the details given support this view of the case. The Russian plan of campaign appears to be to sit tight until the second Pacific squadron arrives upon the scene of action. Under the circumstances this seems to be correct strategy. The Japanese lines have been as well fortified as the Russian, and another advance movement by Gen. Kuropatkin could have no reasonable prospect of being more successful than the one previously made which resulted in such tremendous losses and left him further back than when he made his start.

It has been ten years since J. Edward Addicks began his fight for United States senator from Delaware, and when Mr. Ball was elected last year by a compromise it was expected that Mr. Addicks would attain his cherished desire in the coming assembly of the legislature in that state. But he has not secured enough members for an election, so the deadlock is likely to be renewed. If there was a caucus of all the Republicans, Mr. Addicks could be easily nominated, but the regular Republicans will refuse to enter a caucus, and if they remain firm they may be able to prevent the election of a senator. There is no chance that Mr. Ball will be re-elected, for the regular Republicans are not pleased with the compromise he helped bring about. If there is an election the choice would seem to lie between former Senator Higgins and T. Coleman DuPont.

Rural Protection.

In the news of yesterday it was told that the body of a man was found in the bushes in McCandless township, this county, covered with bruises and giving evidence of foul play. Sunday afternoon some Scranton boys found the body of a murdered woman near her home in that city. The murder resembles one that took place in the same city some time ago. No clue to the perpetrator of either. Last week the headless body of a man was found at Hickory Ridge, between Danville and Shamokin. He is supposed to have been a collector. There were six bullet wounds in the body, made by a 38-calibre revolver. The decapitation was made by a single stroke of the knife, the doctors say, and with anatomical knowledge, for there was no dislocation or mangling. The knuckles of one hand of the victim were skinned as though he had put up a fight for his life and the frame is that of a large, well-built man. Several weeks ago a woman and her son were accosted on the same road by a man who brandished a large knife. A few days before the finding of the man's body a woman called on Outside Foreman Hesser of Hickory Swamp colliery, asking him to accompany her to Natalie. He sent instead his son Albert and another young man. At a point near where the body was afterward found the woman stopped them, drew a revolver and compelled them to deliver their money. It is said other crimes have been committed in the same locality.

Can anyone contemplate these facts without the conviction that the rural communities of the state should have better protection from the lawless elements that have greatly increased in late years? If the state had a force of thief-catchers it would not be possible for highwaymen and murderers to operate in the same spot in the way they have been doing at Hickory Ridge. If there were a state constabulary there would be an even chance that the slayer of the man found in McCandless township might be found. As matters stand there is no machinery to set in motion to uphold the law. There are rural constables, to be sure, but they are practically powerless in such cases even if they had the disposition to do more than bring actions that will yield fees. Conditions have outgrown the system and a new system is needed.

Making An Early Start.

Canada's ambition to make the twentieth century her era of industrial development like that of the nineteenth century for the United States appears to be full of practical purpose. She is making energetic efforts to find new markets for her trade and is making an early start to connect with the commercial opportunities that will be opened by the construction of the isthmian canal. Early this year Sir William Mulock, the Canadian postmaster general, made a trip to Mexico and succeeded in interesting the Mexican government in the establishment of a steamship line to British Columbia. Now he is on his way to Mexico again to try to arrange for a line of steamships from Canada to Mexico on the Atlantic side.

In promoting such enterprises the Canadian government is not hampered by any scruples as to the propriety of subsidies. It is accepted as a matter of course that the government should encourage enterprise by such methods. Sir William's object is to induce the Mexican government to do its share, so that by their joint efforts a profitable trade can be worked up between the two countries. The Mexican government has granted a subsidy to the Pacific line, but the proposed Atlantic line will be more expensive. The Mexican congress meets April 1, and Sir William hopes to have an arrangement made in time to have it ratified during the session. The Canadian parliament will be in session at the same time and its part of the bargain will be promptly concluded.

There can be no doubt that such enterprise will have effect. All the great maritime powers grant subsidies to foster the development of their shipping interests and find that the policy pays them well in the expansion of their trade. It is not likely that the case of Canada will prove an exception.

The New Oil Field.

There is probably no more uncertain and no more fascinating business in the world than delving into the depths of the earth for petroleum. Since the inception of this industry in 1859 it has been a series of trade surprises, accompanied by its myriad individual surprises. At the beginning the source of the fluid was a mystery and the laws of its deposit unknown. After more than 40 years of study science has discovered some general principles, but the origin of petroleum and the manner of its deposit in favorable media are yet imperfectly understood.

The point of prime interest in the oil fields today is known as the "30-foot development" west of Mannington, W. Va. Mannington is not a new oil town. It was the first of the modern oil centers in the war-born state. The development was begun there 15 years ago in a well located by Prof. I. C. White of Morgantown, according to such light as science seemed to shed on the problem. Prof. White duplicated the conditions found at Mt. Morris, the field which extended over the Pennsylvania line into West Virginia, located and opened by E. M. Hukill of Pittsburgh. The original Mannington well was a small producer which found its oil in the Pocono, or "Big Injun" sand. It was situated well up on the west slope of the anticlinal, where science said oil should be found. None of the wells on that range were very large.

An apparent contradiction of the accepted dictum was found in the next well in Marion county, seven miles west of Mannington, beyond the bottom of the synclinal trough, which produced more oil in one hour from the "Big Injun" than the original Mannington well did in a day. But science discovered a reason. The anticlinal arch was buckled over and so there was oil on the other slope. Then followed the Flat Run development, northwest from Mannington, where "gushers" were found in the Gordon sand. This pool was, apparently, in the bottom of the trough and the little stream could not have been better named by the geologists. The formation was very "flat." Further exploration found treasures in the "fifth" sand in the same region. The fifth sand is below the Gordon.

Now good wells are being obtained from the "30-foot" sand, a sort of "stray" lying above the Gordon. More surprising still, these wells are located on the "buckie" which thrusts across from one anticlinal to the other. But however these things may worry the scientists the practical oil man is more than satisfied and Mannington is the center of as rich a piece of oil territory as exists anywhere. Its "horizons" and "slopes" are more numerous than those of any other section yet developed and its productive life promises to rival even Oil Creek and its environs.

Peace Congress Prospects.

The important news comes from St. Petersburg that Russia has accepted the invitation of the United States to conclude an arbitration treaty on the lines of the American-French treaty. This will be the first arbitration treaty which Russia has ever arranged with a foreign power, and the circumstances is a hopeful augury of favorable action upon President Roosevelt's proposal to reconvene The Hague peace conference.

The outlook in general for the holding of that conference is decidedly propitious. The French government has accepted the invitation with sympathetic welcome. Italy, Spain and Denmark have accepted the invitation in principle. With the exception of Russia and Japan replies have been received from all the powers signatory to The Hague convention, and it is understood that Russia has informally repiled that the subject is under consideration. It is hardly time for an answer to arrive from Tokyo, but the general feeling in diplomatic circles that ultimately the assent of all the powers will be obtained and that the conference will be held.

It does not follow, however, that the event will happen in the near future, nor is it even desirable. More is likely to be accomplished if the program of action is well thought out in advance than if the conference should begin without careful preparation of details. That was the defect of the first congress, and hence the incompleteness of its work upon a number of important points upon which agreement might have been reached if the subjects for consideration had been thoroughly digested. Our government has an important part to play in this matter, as the next step will be to suggest the questions to be considered, and several months may well be spent in an exchange of views. This duty properly falls upon our government, as it has taken the initiative. Incidentally, there is hope that the general discussion of ways and means of keeping the peace among nations will promote a settlement between Russia and Japan. This would bring relief to the whole civilized world and communicate to the proceedings extraordinary earnestness in the endeavor to provide as many guarantees as possible against the recurrence of such horrors as have attended the conflict between Russian and Japanese interests in Manchuria.

Justices of the peace who have been collecting costs from each defendant in joint suits, especially among the ignorant foreign element, are likely to regard Judge Evans' order as an attack upon the prerogatives of the petty judiciary. It is fortunate, however, that this prevalent practice is to be stopped. The abuse has grown in proportion to the increase of the non-English speaking element in the population.

Representative Acheson will head the Pennsylvania delegation in congress in a demand for $4,000,000 for the Pittsburgh rivers. This is not an exorbitant sum. More money could be spent on the Ohio and Monongahela to advantage, but $4,000,000 is much better than none.

Judge Evans has laid down the law that justices of the peace may not exact costs from each defendant where several are joined in the same suit. This is a terrible blow to a flourishing industry.

Russia and Great Britain agree that they want an American of high naval rank on the North sea board of inquiry. An American stands for a "square deal to every man; no more and no less."

A Mingo Junction councilman has been arrested for malfeasance in connection with a small property deal. Apparently such transactions are not safe outside the large cities.

Preliminary suggestion comes that the tax rate may be 15 mills next year. The more important phase of the matter is what kind of government the city is to have for its money.

There is considerable debate in the Twenty-second ward over the personal responsibility for failure to secure the engine house. Mr. Wightman says he was tricked.

E. F. Acheson has announced his candidacy for governor on behalf of Western Pennsylvania. He is early in the race, but probably expects a large field.

Though the speed of the cruiser Pennsylvania is not higher than that of the state for which it is named, its coal consumption is much less.

Gen. Fitzhugh Lee is able to perceive that Roosevelt is president of the south as well as of the north.

If this weather continues it will be hard for the boys to wait on Santa Claus for skates and sleds.

Japanese sentinels have been frozen to death at their posts in Manchuria. War is not always hot work.

Double-tracking is the Wabash method of showing its appreciation of Pittsburgh tonnage.

It is a poor up state township that is not seeing bears and things this fall.

Indian summer congealed suddenly.

Talked of in Gotham

By FRANK A. PARKER.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—According to a story given out by the Amalgamated Society of Engineers, Waldo Downey, of the shipbuilding firm of Townsend & Downey, has made a proposition to the engineers, which is a trades union, to reopen the shipbuilding plant at Shooter island to its full extent and run it on a basis of co-operation. Mr. Downey has embodied his suggestions in a letter to William Gardner, a representative of the union. He states a manufacturing industry is based on three essentials, capital, executive ability and labor. These three are to receive the prevailing rates of remuneration, and then, in his proposed plan, if there is a surplus, it is to be divided among the three in proportion to their contribution to the general result.

He thinks such a project would insure industrial peace. He says it would give greater security to the investment of capital and offer greater recompense to workingmen, and bring about additional earning capacity, which is now known to exist, but does not show itself because it is dormant as a result of real or imagined injustice in the distribution of combined earnings under the prevailing systems.

The unions will give Mr. Downey an answer some time this week. If his plan is favored, he says he will proceed to work it out in detail and have it applied as soon as possible. Labor troubles, the difficulty of obtaining material and the fact that credits of the shipbuilding industry were destroyed by revelations regarding the United States Shipbuilding Company were the reasons for the shutdown of the Townsend & Downey plant a year ago, when more than 1,000 men were thrown out of employment.

Ho, for the Pet Stock Show.

The first annual exhibit of the Herald square poultry and pet stock show opened today in Exhibition hall, on the top floor of the Macy building, Herald square. Nearly 1,000 indoor and outdoor pets and fancy stock are in position ready for the judges' decisions, and the competition between the various breeders of the association, which numbers in its ranks so many of the leading fanciers in the country, is very keen. The exhibits represent every state of the union and includes specimens worth from $100 to $1,000 each, the entire collection being conservatively valued at $100,000. There is a large exhibit of water fowl, pheasants, ducks, turkeys and other varieties, and the pigeon exhibit is the largest ever seen in New York, covering every variety of powters, magpies, carriers, Jacobins, tumbles, helmets, fantails, etc. There are also rabbits, guinea pigs, canaries, Belgian hares and a special exhibit of the cat club, with specimens of prize winning kittens of great beauty and value. Homer Davenport and other fanciers of Angora goats have a large exhibit of these fine animals, and there are many special features, such as the trick feats of the famous performing rooster, Harry, the property of his trainer and exhibitor, J. C. Creighton of Long Island. This bird walks a tight rope, climbs ladders and performs other feats which display almost human intelligence. There are also incubators in operation, examples of bee culture and other points of interest to the general public.

Were "Doing Stunts" In Broadway.

Annie Merritt, 16 years old, a printer, and John Scallon, 19 years old, a furniture mover, have tired of their respective occupations and today went to see the manager of the Comedy theater, to try to secure positions on the stage. While "limbering up," much to the amusement of a large crowd, they were arrested. When they arrived at the theater the manager was absent. The couple decided to wait and went out upon the sidewalk, where they began throwing handsprings, single and double somersaults and doing various evolutions common to the acrobatic art. Special Officer Cahill saw the large crowd gathered and went out to investigate. He says he saw the girl throw a somersault and hold herself in the air, suspended on the hands of Scallon. The special officer notified a policeman, and the couple were arrested. "We were just limbering up," the girl said when the policeman took her into custody. "We want to go on the stage, and while we were waiting for the manager I thought it would be all right to practice a little." They were held to await the arrival of their parents.

Thought He Married a Tailor.

Whether a wife is in duty bound to press her husband's trousers was a question which came up today for decision before Recorder Stanton in Hoboken. This question grew out of the case of Mrs. Lena Zucker, who was married only eight months ago to Louis Zucker. Her husband had a very pretty daughter, Antonia, 18 years old, who, according to the story told in court, has been rather jealous of her stepmother. After Zucker had dinner he prepared to go out for the afternoon, and asked his new wife to press his trousers. "I didn't marry you to become your tailor," she replied, her husband told the recorder. "If you want me to do this pressing you will have to give me 15 cents. That is the cheapest any tailor would do the work." When the daughter started to do the pressing, her mother struck her. Recorder Stanton did not decide whether the wife should press her husband's trousers or not, but did decide that she should not strike her step-daughter. He held Mrs. Zucker under $200 bond.

Nips of New York News.

The Women's Domestic Guild seems to have solved the servant problem, as it is sending out letters to members announcing that the supply of servants exceeds the demand.

The janitor is not always king. John Collins is under $300 bond to keep the peace because he "jawed" a woman tenant.

Although the official count of last election's vote in New York county has not been finished because of the large number of split tickets, the result so far shows that while Roosevelt carried 11 assembly districts, Higgins carried only four.

Speyer & Co. have purchased $15,000,000 4 per cent bonds of the Grand Trunk railway of Canada. Evidently there is plenty of money down Wall street way.

The new Times building is making a reputation for itself like that of the Flatiron building on these breezy days.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

Waldorf-Astoria.
J. M. Atcheson,
J. W. Friend,
Miss G. L. Painter,
P. Painter,
H. D. Brown,
Mrs. H. King,
Mrs. T. Rodd,
Miss Price.

Holland.
Mrs. A. Laughlin, Jr.,
C. R. Buchheris,
C. E. Satler,
J. R. Speer,
J. R. Taylor,
W. C. Robinson,
S. A. Beaner.

Hotel Astor.
W. Cunningham,
J. Jones,
J. C. Bennett,
C. L. Jones.

Imperial.
C. E. Gable,
Ike Hollander,
R. Garland,
J. W. Garland,
J. T. Kell.

Manhattan.
J. J. Donnell,
Miss K. E. Cassidy,
T. Gray,
R. B. Coyle,
Mrs. Coyle,
W. L. Coyle.

Hoffman.
T. C. Layton,
D. F. H. Wolf,
C. Ryr,
W. C. Patterson.

Fifth Avenue.
O. Oetting.

Grand Union.
R. Foy,
W. F. Parkin,
Mrs. Parkin.

Continental.
W. L. Brown.

Cosmopolitan.
D. A. Thurston.

Broadway Central.
L. Friedberg,
G. Stengel, Jr.

St. Denis.
L. Van Allen,
W. A. Noble.

Rossmore.
L. M. McKey,
Mrs. McKey.

Gilsey.
J. C. Chapman,
Mrs. Chapman.

Victoria.
D. Rosenthal.

Union Square.
J. A. Sweeney.

Normandie.
A. G. Campbell.

Murray Hill.
B. F. Clark.

New Amsterdam.
C. E. Schlesen.

Herald Square.
S. L. Kaufman,
E. Kaufman.

Gregorian.
W. J. Pawcett.

Grand.
M. Klein.

Astor House.
J. Boyd,
I. K. Watins,
H. A. Reed,
C. D. Clarke.

Empire.
C. J. Stocking.

Answers to Correspondents.

Alexander Kennedy, No. 305 Reynolds street—You should consult a lawyer for the information you desire.

Karl J. Holliday, Butler—The Chinese exclusion act was passed in 1882, re-enacted in 1892 and in 1902 is was again extended for 10 years. There were 921,515 immigrants who arrived in the United States in the year ending June 30, 1903. Of these 209,298 came from Austria-Hungary, 235,502 from Italy and 138,829 from Russia.

The Quiet Observer.

By ERASMUS WILSON.

You needn't try to hide your identity by changing your name or your clothes or the cut of your beard.

A wolf in sheep's clothing is a wolf still. When it would ba-ah the growl is easily recognized.

Nor will a lion's skin change the voice of an ass.

You are what you are and there is no getting away from the fact.

Man has one advantage over the wolf and the ass; he may become whatsoever kind of a man he choses to be, if only he choses in reason.

Desire and ambition has much to do with a man's development, not only intellectually but socially and physically.

Up in Jefferson, O., they tell of an unusually tall man who claims to have grown tall because he had an ambition to be the tallest man in the county. His parents were both under the average height, and so are his brothers. From his early boyhood he expressed a desire to grow tall and he did.

His ambition in this direction led him to indulge in exercises calculated to stretch his joints and muscles. He not only prayed that he might be that which he wanted to be, but he strove to be what he would be.

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Long hair, a bad-smelling pipe and unique dress will not make a poet.

Nor will a capacious note book, a bunch of sharpened pencils and a large gall make a newspaper man.

The time was when these were taught to be the stock in trade of the reporter and the journalist, with a variable capacity for booze on the side.

Times have changed, and wonderful the change if the newspaper man ever was so frightfully constructed a creature as to fill that unique bill. In these times he is the very opposite.

The reporter must needs push himself on the scene of action in order to get the facts. For this some may think him nebby or fresh. But he doesn't want to do it, and wouldn't neb into your affairs if you didn't demand the news. You may not like it because you happen to be the particular individual who can give the news. Were your neighbor on the stand you would expect your paper to publish all the facts and if it failed to do so you would drop it; wouldn't you?

It is no pleasure for a reporter to rout you out of your bed in the dead hour of the night and ask you disagreeable questions, but your neighbors insist that it shall be done.

You may have been annoyed by a reporter seeking for facts, but never were insulted nor pestered—not by a reporter who knows enough to hold a job on a first-class newspaper.

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When a reporter is sent out to get the facts concerning a matter of news he is expected to bring them in, and he does, if he knows his business.

Should you happen to figure in this particular news item he goes directly to you rather than to someone who knows nothing, but has heard a good deal. Even if he has heard various rumors concerning the part you play in the item he does you the very great favor of going direct to you instead of using the rumors.

That brings it up to you. If you keep out of his way or refuse to talk, then there is nothing left for him but to go to your neighbor, or to those who profess to know all about it. If his report happens to do you an injustice you have only yourself to blame.

Those who know reporters best confide in them and rarely have they occasion to regret it, for reporters know what to say and what to leave unsaid, and they are strongly inclined to be as easy as possible with those who are easy to reach and willing to give them the facts in the case.

Tote fair with the reporter and he will tote fair with you, be sure of that.

Newspapers cannot afford to employ unreliable men, and that is the reason why the reporter of today is bright, honest and energetic. He must average well in intelligence, morals and culture with those from whom he gets his news.

It used to be thought that a cigar, or a drink, or a small coin would fix a reporter. If this ever were true it is not so now, as all very well know who have had occasion to meet the modern newsgatherer.

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A young lady wants to know if a newspaper man will make a good husband?

That will depend largely upon the woman in the case. If she possess the elements of a good wife the chances are that she will find him to be all that her heart could reasonably desire. She must not expect him to be an angel, for angels do not often come to earth in search of wives.

Following are some lines bearing on this point taken from a recent issue of the Blue Pencil Magazine:

THE NEWSPAPER MAN.

He seldom is handsome or natty,
And has none of the charms of the dude,
Is oft more abstracted than chatty,
And sometimes unbearably rude.
He courts us, then slights us and grieves us,
As much as he possibly can:
He kisses us, loves us and leaves us,
This perfidious newspaper man.

Our mothers won't have him come calling,
He's no earthly good as a "catch";
His morals (they say) are appalling,
His finances usually match.
He's rollicking, reckless, uncaring,
Lives but for the hour, the day,
He's dangerous, dubious, daring,
Not fit for a husband, they say.

But somehow we girls are forgiving,
Perhaps he but needs us the more
Because he goes wrong in the living
And knows the old world to its core.
So we pass up the dude and the schemer,
Who leads in society's van,
And cherish the thinker and dreamer
Enshrined in the newspaper man.
—Marie M. Memstreet.

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Mr. Quiet Observer:—It is with pleasure that I read your daily arguments and I now take the liberty of writing you on the letters of "H. L. B." and "Barkis as Was." "H. L. B." says she has men friends whom she can trust.

Why should she not have, even if she has reached the years of a so-called old maid? She can trust herself, why should she not have and enjoy the same pleasures as her friends of the opposite sex?

We all admire modesty in both sexes, whether real or assumed, and bidding a gentleman friend good night in an "unusual" way should be left to the discretion of the lady.

Marriage of properly mated persons is the height of our Creator's ambition, but where there is a doubt on either side can happiness reign? The existence of true love is never shown when we allow our animal passions to get the better of our minds; and when true love is missing we cannot have happiness, and without happiness we cannot enjoy life.

Judge Gildersleeve of the New York supreme court is authority for the statement that 60,000 divorces have been granted in the United States last year; and in the state of Massachusetts alone there was 1 divorce in every 14 marriages. Is this not an incentive to every right thinking person to use the old maxim of Davy Crockett, "Be sure you're right, then go ahead"?

There are very few old maids who have not had at some time in their life offers of marriage, but because they did not accept they are ridiculed by the press and public as being unnatural beings, which is not the case. The stern resolve on the part of a girl to exercise her own judgment in affairs of the heart, and not be persuaded and led by friends, some of whom are false, is the surest way, I think, to a happy life. REMEED.

Has It Been a Square Deal?

Every man's conscience forms an investigation committee at the end of his day's work.—Franklin News.

Pittsburghers at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—The following Pittsburgh people are registered at the leading St. Louis hotels:

Washington.
L. J. Adams,
Mrs. Adams.

Hamilton.
C. A. O'Donnell,
Mrs. O'Donnell,
James M. Fleming,
Mrs. Fleming,
L. B. Fleming,
F. M. Turner,
Mrs. Turner and child,
D. G. Greer,
L. L. Sisson,
I. C. Andrews.

Planters.
G. B. Griffin,
W. F. Curren,
E. R. Crawford,
W. R. Brown,
L. H. Hatton,
A. J. Barchfeld,
Mrs. Barchfeld,
J. B. Drew.

Lindell.
Adolph Steding.

Southern.
William R. Connell,
W. H. Jacobs.

Around the State

Not Everyday Items.

Tom Lawson, while digging on the Gurney Hill on Friday, uncovered a gold bracelet over 40 feet under ground. The surroundings gave every indication that an Indian had been buried at the place, perhaps a maiden. The bracelet was fastened to an iron clasp, which was so rotten that it rubbed into powder, but the gold was intact. The find is quite a curiosity and attracted some attention from those to whom Mr. Lawson displayed his relic of antiquity.—Franklin News.

About a mile and a half west of Perrysville and up from the road which leads to North Point there is an old orchard which has become almost surrounded by the forest. Many decades ago the place was inhabited, but there is now no trace of the buildings, only an old walled spring being left to indicate their probable location. The encroachment of the forest has almost effaced the orchard, but many of the trees are still bearing luscious fruit, notwithstanding the fact that they are completely surrounded by towering forest trees. This orchard occupies a place on the brow of a high hill, amid scenes that, being transported to the valley, would suggest the Garden of Eden, or some such ancient and romantic spot.—Punxsutawney Spirit.

H. C. Myers of Collinwood, O., working for the Lake Shore as fireman, met with a severe accident at Conneaut yesterday. The train crew was kicking cars into the yards when the cars came back on them. A collision followed but no one was hurt except Myers, who was smoking a corncob pipe at the time. The force of the collision rammed the pipe stem down his throat, making a terrible injury which makes breathing very difficult. Myers is at the Hotel Royal in this city.—Erie Dispatch.

What is undoubtedly the long distance record in the buckwheat cake line is held by Assistant Postmaster Joseph L. Roberts, who won by one cake in a contest recently conducted under the auspices of Dr. S. S. Gilbert. Roberts defeated Paul Gilbert, secretary of the York (Pa.) Wall Paper Company. His record was 73, while Gilbert was able to stow away only 72. The contest was held at Dr. Gilbert's home, and it kept two cooks busy preparing the cakes. Dr. Gilbert dropped out of the contest after he had eaten 48 and his son, Joseph, fainted when he tackled number 50. This left but two contestants, and the tournament ended as stated above. The cake, a big prize, was awarded to Roberts.—Sharon Correspondence.

A reporter stepped into the offices of the National Transit Company recently to make inquiries regarding the price of Pennsylvania crude oil. A young Salvation Army girl entered at the same time and walked over to the chair where the only occupant of the room was sitting. Both of the people came upon him at the same time. The reporter said: "What's new?" The Salvation Army girl said, "Do you want a paper?" He answered the War Cry girl by saying yes, and giving her half a dollar for the paper, and for which, as a matter of course, he expected change. He then turned to the reporter and said, "No change," meaning that there was no change in the oil market. The War Cry girl thought he meant the "no change" reply for her and she walked out of the office. It cost the young man 45 cents to tell a reporter about the oil market.

Thief Looked Like Devil.

Miss Mary Barrett, a young Shamokin woman, was awakened by a strong grasp on her wrist. A burglar stood over her. She cried out:

"Oh, mother! Help me! The devil is after me!"

The burglar had taken off his shoes and displayed red stockings.

Mrs. Barrett awakened, and hearing the retreating footsteps of the invader, cried out:

"It's my life or yours!"

She ran downstairs after him, but he made his escape by way of the front door. He had entered the house through a window and had lighted a lamp. He then ascended the stairway and extinguished a lamp burning in the widow's bedroom after ransacking a bureau.—Montour American.

Mrs. Katherine Hoch of Chicora denies that she used a megaphone to frighten the burglars and alarm the neighbors when an attempt was made to enter her house the night of November 4. Mrs. Hoch is 82 years of age and a little hard of hearing. Her daughter, Miss Cassle, was awakened by someone trying to force the kitchen door, and she opened a window and commenced screaming. Her screams awakened Mrs. Hoch, who opened a front window and began blowing a tin "fish" horn, which she had gotten from one of her grandchildren, and this was the megaphone whose stentorian tones awakened the town.—Butler Citizen.

Hunters and Their Game.

It was not a "wildcat" well that they had in Jefferson township last week, but a really, truly genuine 20-pound wildcat. It attacked Clarence Steinheiser's dog as he passed through the woods on the Frank Welsh farm last Friday and took a fall out of him (the dog), but when the dog got loose Charley had his gun ready and settled with the cat.—Butler Citizen.

Joseph Kelly, who resides east of town had a fine steer shot by careless hunters last Saturday, the animal dying Tuesday. Mr. Kelly noticed a party of four hunters and some boys hunting on his farm that day and warned them off, but did not know at that time the steer was injured. The men were strangers and Mr. Kelly will have no redress for his loss. The farmers in that vicinity are determined to put a stop to this reckless shooting by hunters, and if not stopped someone will get caught by legal proceedings.—Grove City Reporter.

William Tarr, the Pennsylvania railroad brakeman of Oil City, did not concern himself about the high price of turkeys Thanksgiving, as he had a game dinner that he earned himself. On Wednesday night, when his train was near Franklin, he sighted a 'coon and securing a coal pick from the engine, gave chase. The 'coon took to the river and William followed it until he was waist deep in the water. He used the pick to keep the 'coon under water until it was nearly dead and then, by grabbing it by the tail and scruff of the neck, carried it ashore. The animal revived and showed fight, but the coal pick soon put it out of business. He arrived home with his "game" early enough on Thanksgiving to permit his wife to prepare and cook the 'coon for dinner.

The big black bear that seems to have its haunts some place near the wagon road leading from Oil City to Lineville, Franklin county, was seen early Thanksgiving morning between Tipperary and Coal Hill by Thomas Perry of Centerville. Mr. Perry is a rural free delivery carrier and was on his way to get the mail at Oil City when his horse balked and backed. Mr. Perry tried to make the animal move on by whipping him, but the horse squaled in fright and reared wildly. Mr. Perry stopped his operations for a moment and then a big black bear crossed the road a few yards ahead of the horse. William Newton, whose home is near Lineville, saw what is believed to have been this same bear about a week ago early one morning as he was going to market at Oil City. His team backed the wagon and ran on to the bank and while the owner was trying to quiet them he saw a black bear in the road ahead of him. The animal seems disposed to avoid any trouble if possible.

IT IS TO SMILE.

Church—Science is a great thing. I see they have a method for changing the shape of a man's nose.

Gotham—Oh, well, a good, warm game of football could nearly always do that!—Yonkers Statesman.

Gyer—My brother has been greatly benefited by patent medicines.

Myer—So? What kind did he take?

Gyer—Oh, he didn't take any. He's a druggist.—Chicago Daily News.

It is announced that John D. Rockefeller has been cured of indigestion. Who holds the securities now?—New York Herald.

Mrs. Cassidy—'Twas very natural he looked. Mrs. Casey—Aye! shure he looked for all the wurld loike a loive man layin' there dead.—Illustrated Bits.

"Now, my dear," said Subbubs, "hereafter you must have my supper for me promptly at 6 o'clock; it's the doctor's orders."

"The doctor's orders?" exclaimed his wife.

"Yes, the doctor told me today that I mustn't indulge in any late suppers hereafter."—Philadelphia Press.

WORKING FOR APPOINTMENT

Republican Chairman Ford Hopeful Legislation Can Be Put Through This Winter.

E. F. ACHESON FOR GOVERNOR

Allegheny county will present a new legislative apportionment bill. Thomas J. Ford, chairman of the Republican county committee, says every possible effort will be made to put through the legislation. He is hopeful of success.

The first caucus of the legislative delegation from this county will be held at headquarters tomorrow afternoon. The meeting is for the purpose of formally indorsing P. C. Knox for United States senator. It may be that there will be some discussion of proposed legislation. The delegation was pledged by the nominating conventions to vote for the passage of an apportionment bill.

"I see that Gov. Pennypacker will include apportionment in his message to the legislature," said Chairman Ford. "The aid of the executive in securing the passage of a bill will be of great assistance. I am hopeful that Philadelphia will consent to assist. In that event the majority of the eastern counties will favor the legislation. In the central and western parts of the state we have received much encouragement."

A boom for Congressman Ernest F. Acheson of Washington for the Republican nomination for governor has been started. The Daily Times of Waynesburg, Greene country, has declared for him and invites the support of the Republicans of the state. It makes a plea for him on the ground the nomination should come to the west and that he is in every way fitted to become the executive of Pennsylvania. There is reason for believing the boom is launched with the consent of Mr. Acheson.

Director Bigelow and Murry A. Verner yesterday asked Congressman James W. Brown to become chairman of the Citizens city committee. They were told he would give his answer tomorrow.

The Citizens are preparing to take charge of the management of Larkin's campaign for controller. The Orphans thought they would manage the contest, but the Citizens have decided to take the lead. The administration leaders say the Orphans will not show much strength in February and should be content with following the Citizens bandwagon.

Common pleas court No. 2 refused the petition of the commonwealth in behalf of citizens of Turtle Creek to advance the case of the commonwealth vs. William C. Hill, a councilman of Turtle Creek. In the petition the relator states that as serious allegations were made against Hill regarding his conduct in office it would be in the interest of pure politics as well as to establish the truth of the assertions to have the case brought up for immediate trial, as Hill's term expires in March and at the present position of the case on the list it will not come up till after his term expires. The petition also states if the allegations are proved Hill would be ousted as councilman.

FAVORS MORE PRACTICAL AWARDS FOR STUDENTS

Local Educators Evolve Plan Which Will Relegate Gold Medal System Now Used.

Dr. J. Leonard Levy held a conference yesterday with Prof. Rynearson and teachers of the various high schools in Pittsburgh and Allegheny, for the purpose of considering the advisability of applying to more practical use the money represented in the annual presentation to high school graduates in the two cities of 10 gold medals for successful essay writing on selected subjects. These are awarded by members of the Rabbi Levy's congregation.

Last year 10 gold medals, each costing $25, were presented to Pittsburgh and Allegheny graduates. It is proposed hereafter to substitute bronze medals, which it is thought will convey the same distinction of reward. Medals of such composition can be purchased for $1 or less, while it is proposed to use the remaining $240 for the purchase of books, scientific instruments or such other material which will be of more real value to the successful scholars in the future pursuit of their studies. It is proposed that the selection of these more practical rewards be in keeping with the future plans of those to whom they are given.

All those at yesterday's conference were a unit in recommending this departure, and Dr. Levy will present the judgment of the conferees to the donors of the medals.

Dr. Levy has accepted an invitation to make the principal address at a banquet to be given by the Universal Peace union at its thirty-eighth annual meeting in Philadelphia on December 6.

DISCUSS FARMING TOPICS.

Large Audiences Attend Farmers' Institute at Carnegie and Listen to Papers of Exceptional Merit.

Large audiences and attractive programs characterized the sessions of the Allegheny County Farmers' Institute, which opened yesterday afternoon in Carnegie hall, Carnegie, and will close this evening. Fruits and vegetables from the farm predominate in the decorations of the stage.

Last night's program was in charge of women, with Mrs. Marion Carnahan presiding. "Pioneer Farmers" was the subject of a paper by Mrs. W. H. Lea. Anna Kelso described "A Visit to the Farm." "Household Economics" was handled by Mrs. Samuel Yourd. Mrs. J. L. Pitzer gave a paper on "Farming and Fruitgrowing in the South", and Mrs. A. S. Hogan told of "My Experiences With an Incubator."

Yesterday afternoon's session was devoted to horticulture. This morning an address will be given by George E. Hill of Transfer, Mercer county. J. S. Burns of Imperial is chairman of the institute.

LOCAL CAR COMPANY GETS $1,000,000 CONTRACT

DULUTH, MINN., Nov. 28.—The contract has been let to a Pittsburgh firm for furnishing $1,045,000 worth of new steel ore cars for the Duluth and Iron Range and the Duluth, Missabe and Northern roads. They are to be of much the same pattern as the cars now in use by the companies, and the general purchase price will depend upon some special appliances which will be decided upon later by the roads.

JAPANESE MAY HAVE CAPTURED THIS SHIP

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 28.—Maritime men in this city are awaiting with anxiety news of the Herold Dollar which sailed about a month ago to Petropavolovsk, Kamtchatka, with coal and provisions for the Aluetian fishing station. It is feared that the vessel may fall into the hands of the Japanese.

Means Four New School Buildings.

McKeesport's school bond issue of $250,000, the proceeds from which is to pay for four new brick buildings and improvements to the old ones, has passed, according to the judges of common pleas court, who finished counting the returns and signed the papers yesterday. The issue was carried by about 4 to 1. Many of the voters did not vote on the issue and the return boards overlooked it until Solicitor G. J. Johnston gathered up the returns and submitted them.

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LEVY INCREASED BY BOND ISSUES

Morrow Shows Big Advance in Sinking Fund Appropriation Is Required.

PAYMENTS ON TWO LOANS

Controller Larkin claimed yesterday if he was the city administration the tax levy for 1905 would be 18 mills, or just one-half of a mill more than the tax levy of 1904. At the same time Controller Larkin made this statement, the assistant controller, E. S. Morrow, cited one item alone which must be inserted in the appropriations for 1905, which will increase the tax levy about two-thirds of a mill.

Morrow yesterday made up a list of the appropriations which must be made for the sinking fund to pay the annual installment on the city's bonded indebtedness. Including the sum that must be set aside annually for the $5,000,000 bond issue for filtration, the total appropriation to the sinking fund for 1905 will be $1,032,704 01. The appropriation for the sinking fund this year was $794,492 74. The difference shows an increase $238,211 27, which, the assistant controller states, equals about two-thirds of a mill.

The sinking fund appropriation is to pay only on the principal of the bonds and does not include the appropriation to pay the interest and tax on bonds which amounted this year to $853,000. Whenever there is an increase in the bonded indebtedness of the city, as there has been this year, this also causes an increase in the amount that must be set aside the following year to pay the interest on the bonds.

Besides the proposed bond issue of $5,000,000 for filtration, there was a bond issue of $1,128,000 this year for judgments, assessments and claims against the city which bears 4 per cent interest annually for 30 years. The $5,000,000 bond issue for filtration will also bear 4 per cent interest. This amount must be included in the appropriations and will swell the tax levy.

Controller Larkin also declared that a 10-mill levy was possible. Three years ago, when Larkin was a candidate for controller, he promised that he would give the people, if elected, a 10-mill levy. At that time the city administration claimed that Larkin's promise was impossible of fulfillment because the fixed charges of the city, consisting of the sinking fund charges, interest on bonds, etc., alone amounted to more than a 10-mill levy, not including the money necessary to pay the ordinary expenses of the various departments of the city government. The controller still declares that a 10-mill levy is possible.

Councilman C. W. Helmold, chairman of the sub-committee that will make up the appropriations and fix the tax levy, declares that nothing less than a 15-mill levy is possible. Helmold has been chosen by the administration to prepare the appropriation and tax levy bills.

CUBANS SUSPECT FEVER.

French Schoolship Detained and Sick Midshipman Is Taken to the Detention Hospital.

HAVANA, Nov. 28.—The French schoolship Duguay Troin, arrived here with a fever case on board. Examination by the health officers developed suspicion of yellow fever and the ship was quarantined and ordered to undergo fumigation. The patient, who is a midshipman, was surrounded by mosquito bars and taken ashore to the detention hospital.

La Discussion asserts that hotel interests and some other southern states are promoting the circulation of false allegations of the existence of yellow fever in Cuba, for the purpose of checking the stream of winter tourists bound for Cuba.

CORONER'S JURY CENSURES FLAGMAN AND ENGINEER

WASHINGTON, PA., Nov. 28.—(Special.)—The inquest into the death of Frank McCoy and S. E. Wilson, the two victims of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad wreck at Wyland station, east of Washington, on Sunday evening, November 20, was concluded here tonight. The jury brought in a verdict charging Flagman W. H. McCartney of the first section of freight No. 82 and Engineer C. A. Blackburn of the second section with negligence of duty.

Pittsburghers at the Shore.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Thomas B. Moreland and W. H. McManus of Pittsburgh are registered at the Chalfonte.

Visitors from Nearby Towns.

Duquesne—J. Hill, Washington; J. I. Husted, Uniontown.

Henry—F. Armstrong, Wheeling; J. B. Kitridge, Sharon; George B. Booth, Bradford.

Griswold—John W. Sutton, Indiana; J. E. Edard, Barnesville; F. H. Herbert, Bradford.

Monongahela—C. P. Mills, Dunbar; J. W. Collins, New Martinsville; J. Danto, Keyser; L. J. Dill, Youngstown.

Lincoln—W. G. Wilson, Clarion.

Colonial—H. R. Mattern, Franklin; E. K. Miller, Wheeling; J. Flynn, Parkersburg; A. L. Moren, Parkersburg.

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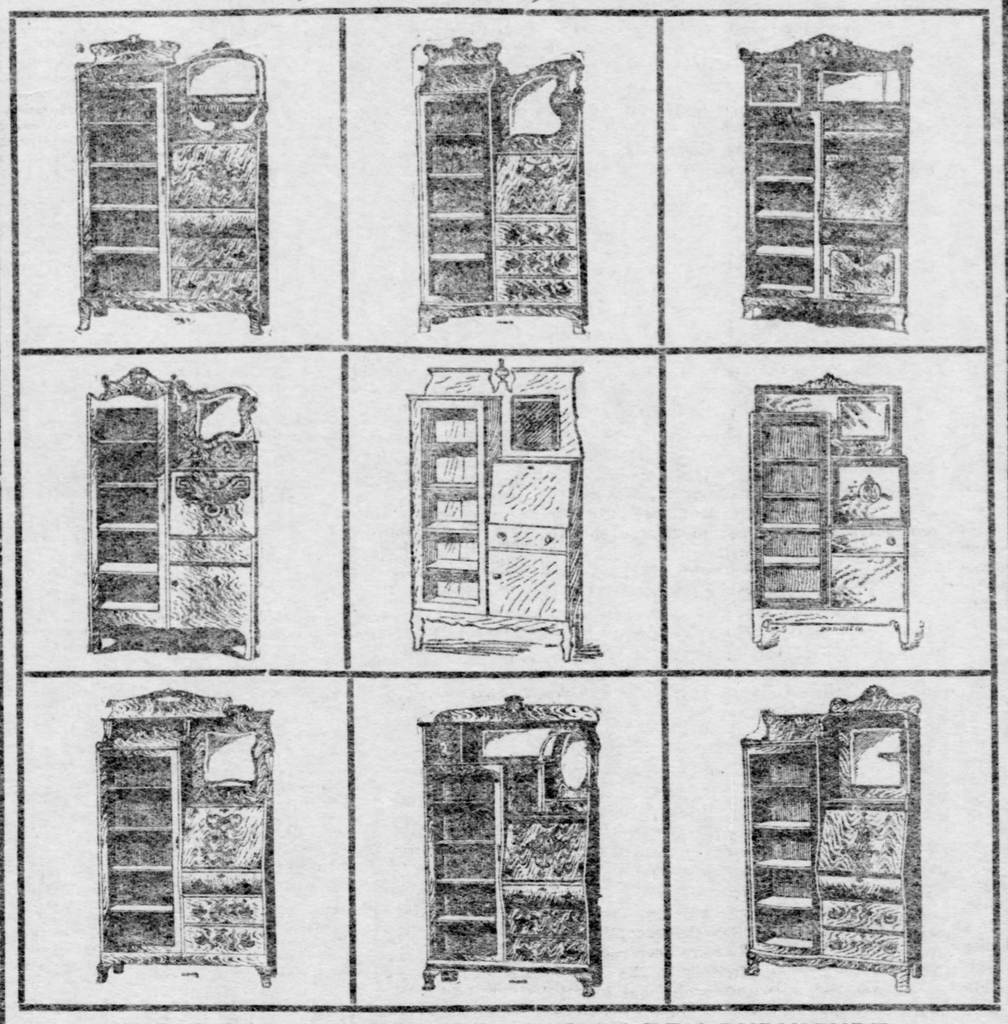

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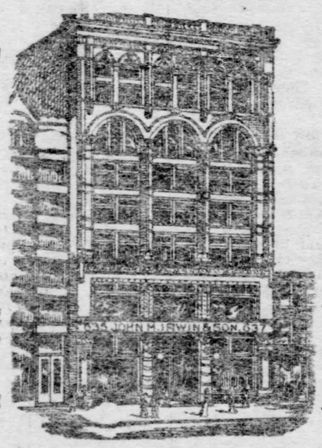

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Chinchilla Four-in-Hands, or Ermine Collars, $18.50.

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Now that the specified period is past we turn in to annihilate them—Suits that have been here only a week, as well as Suits that have been here several weeks, all have to get out—none of the above lines to be re-ordered—every one to be wiped out absolutely.

Elegant Suits that were $50, $55 and $65.00 to be sold at $35.00.

We'll get some new suits in, of course—as soon as any produced—but they'll be entirely new and at regular prices, but we can't tell when that will be.

In the meantime, however, there'll be a sale of Suits such as no woman hereabouts ever attended.

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It would not be representative of the ceramic art if we omitted the products of the Scotland Potteries—all bear some wise or quaint saying characteristic of the canny Scot—prices 50c to $2.75 each.

Royal Doulton—a good assortment from the Doulton Potteries, consisting of Jugs, Vases, Bowls, Tea Pots, Sugars and Creams, Milk Jugs, etc., 75c to $10.00.

Cut Glass—handsome new patterns and shapes.

Within the last few days we have received a vast assortment of new lines from the best American factories.

Those who wish new pieces for their own use as well as those who are seeking dainty pieces for gifts for friends will do well to see the collection.

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CHILDREN'S FURNITURE

There always are so many articles of this kind given at Christmas we have carefully prepared to meet the most vigorous demand—extra assortments on a price basis hitherto unusual and entirely unexpected.

An extra special offer is a Reed Rocker with cane seat, $1.10—will please any child.

Reed Rockers, $1.75 to $5.00.

Wood Rockers, 25c to $1.25.

Austrian Bent Wood Rockers, $3.00 to $5.00.

Bent Wood Chairs, $1.50 to $3.00.

Bent Wood Settees, $5.00 to $6.50.

Bent Wood High Chairs, $5.00 to $6.00.

Children's Morris Chairs, $1.75 to $5.00—variety of styles.

Children's Extension Tables, $1.00 to $5.00.

Tables, 50c to $1.50.

Children's Writing Desks, $1.00 to $10.00.

Demonstration and Sale in Toy Department of Kindergarten Blocks, 50c, and Simplex Typewriters, $1.00 to $5.00.

Both represent the highest type of educational toys—amusing and instructing.

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THE GREATEST OF ALL SPECTACLES

KLAW & ERLANGER'S SUPREME PRODUCTION

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MOZART CLUB

and Pittsburgh Orchestra. Soloists: Anna Gertrude Clark, Soprano; Winifred Reahard, Contralto; Dan T. Beddoe, Tenor; William Harper, Bass; G. A. Kraber, Baritone; J. P. McCollum, Conductor; at Carnegie Music Hall.

TONIGHT

Seats 50c to $1.50 at C. C. Meller Co.'s, 819 Fifth Avenue.

THE NEW ALVIN—THIS WEEK "The Village Postmaster"

Mat. Every Day, Best Reserved Seats 25c-50c.

Week of Dec. 5 William Collier's Successful Comedy, "A Fool and His Money"

Seat Sale Opens Thurs., Dec. 1.

Grand THIS WEEK CONTINUOUS VAUDEVILLE 1:30 TO 10:45 P.M. LIQUID AIR FRANK KEENAN & CO. WENTWORTH'S HORSES 15 Feature Acts-15

THE AVENUE — Matinees Wed. and Sat. Every Night This Week 8:15, Weber & Fields' Greatest Success, "BARBARA FIDGETY" Mat. Best Reserved Seats 25c and 50c.

GAYETY—MATINEE TODAY THE MISSOURIANS

Night—25, 50, 75c, $1.00. Mats.—25, 35, 50c. Next Week—"THE ETERNAL CITY."

EMPIRE UP-TOWN Reached by Collins Ave. All Car Lines. THIS WEEK—Matinee 2:15 Wednesday. MADAM HERRMANN'S Vaudeville Company. Matinees Wed. and Sat. Next Week, Gotthold's Vaudeville Co.

DUQUESNE "Special Price Mats." Tues. Thurs. and Sat. Best Res. Seats 25c & 50c. This week ROSS & FENTON and 60 others in "Twirly Whirly." Next week: New production of "HAPPY HOOLIGAN."

Bijou Bar. Mat. Mon., Wed. and Sat. Best Reserved Seats 25 & 50c. This week only MR. CHAUNCEY OLCOTT, In "A Romance of Athlone." Next Week: "A Fatal Wedding."

HARRY W. WILLIAMS' EXPO BABY SHOW THIS WEEK. ACADEMY MAT. DAILY EVE. TIGER LILLIES BURLESQUERS

DUQUESNE GARDEN Skating Afternoon and Evening. HOCKEY TONIGHT WILKS U. S. vs. P. A. C.

DATE IS SET FOR SPRING PRIMARY

Allegheny Republican City Committee Decides on January 21, After Lively Debate.

CANDIDATES' ASSESSMENTS

Republican primaries will be held in Allegheny on January 21. This date was decided upon last night at a meeting of the Republican city committee after a lively debate. A motion to have a committee confer with the city committee of Pittsburgh, for the purpose of having primaries in both cities on the same day, was voted down.

Richard M. Kopp suggested that this joint date would be the proper one, inasmuch as the administration workers of Pittsburgh would have their hands full watching affairs on their side of the river and would have no time to participate in the Allegheny primary if they felt so disposed. William C. Gill objected on the ground that Allegheny should act independently of Pittsburgh and let the latter city attend to its own business. Both these arguments were set aside at the suggestion of Dr. Samuel S. Woodburn, whose motion was to fix January 21 as the proper day.

"If we have our primary election as late as possible we will have less interference and less cheating," said Woodburn. "There are some candidates who will be defeated in our primaries, and who will no doubt immediately seek the indorsement of the city administration. If we set a late date such persons will be given the least possible time in which to deal with the Wyman administration. Such possible irregularity will be discouraged if our primary makes the trick a difficult one to play."

Chairman Torrance was of the opinion that this argument was pertinent and the motion carried unanimously.

Senator Muehlbronner presented a resolution embodying a scale of assessments to be collected from candidates to pay for printing, payment of election boards and for the maintenance throughout the year of the city headquarters in East Diamond street. The following amounts were named as proper sums to collect from various candidates:

Mayor, $1,000; controller, $500; select councilmen, $100; common councilmen, $50; school director, $25; aldermen, $50; ward constable, $10. In addition to this, the ward assessor is to contribute as his share of the campaign fund a copy of the poll-book of his ward. This book is to be kept at headquarters.

There was no objection to the prices, but considerable discussion developed concerning the manner of collection and distribution. It was finally decided that the ward committees shall collect the money and turn it over to the treasurer of the city committee. The latter will receive bids for printing, award the contract to the lowest bidder and pay the election boards. Each ward shall determine upon a certain percentage that shall be contributed to the general fund at headquarters for the incidental expense of running the headquarters.

This ruling relieves candidates and ward leaders from the necessity at times of personally paying the election boards, as was the case in many instances in the last fight. It was determined that out of the sum collected a uniform fee would be paid to all election boards.

John Hetzel offered a resolution to the effect that suggestion meetings be held in all wards and that the dates for such meetings be fixed by the committee in each ward. This passed without dissent.

Meetings will be held at the headquarters in East Diamond street every Monday night from now until after the election. The committee instructed the secretary to extend an invitation to all Republicans.

The name of City Clerk Lafayette Wills was stricken from the list of committeemen representing the Seventh ward. He is a city employe.

The Death Roll.

Miss Harriet A. DeHaven.

Miss Harriet A. DeHaven, aged 65, daughter of ex-Mayor Harmer DeHaven of Allegheny, died yesterday, the anniversary of her birth, in a Pittsburgh sanitarium, after an illness of about four months. For the last 14 years Miss DeHaven made her home with Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Miller of Fifth avenue, Shadyside. Miss DeHaven was born in Allegheny and had resided in this vicinity all her life. She was a member of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Ascension. She is survived by two brothers, Isaac N. DeHaven of Monterey street, Allegheny, and James DeHaven of DeHaven station, on the West Penn railroad, and three sisters, Mrs. James Shaw of Glenshaw, Mrs. Kate Heard of Edgewood and Miss Elizabeth DeHaven of DeHaven station. Funeral services will be held at the home of her sister, Mrs. Shaw, tomorrow, after the arrival of the 1:15 p. m. train at Glenshaw.

Mrs. Catherine Dunphy Leech.

Mrs. Catherine Dunphy Leech, who had lived in Pittsburgh almost since it was a village, died yesterday at her home, Charles and Rose streets, East End. She came to this country from Ireland in 1849 with 12 brothers and sisters, and, with the exception of a sister living in Nebraska, she is the last surviving member of the family. Mrs. Leech attended St. Brigid's Roman Catholic church. When a child she went to the little cathedral on the hill and remembered well when it was destroyed by fire. She saw the erection of the old St. Paul's cathedral, recently razed, and was desirous of living to see the completion of the present magnificent structure at Fifth avenue and Craig street. Mrs. Leech was aged about 70 and had been an invalid for three years. She is survived by three daughters, Margaret, Mary and Annie, and also by an adopted son, George.

The Rev. Dr. J. E. Rankin.

The Rev. Dr. J. E. Rankin, formerly president of Howard university, Washington, D. C., died in Cleveland yesterday, aged 75. He held Congregational church pastorates at different places. Dr. Rankin was the author of a number of well-known hymns, the best known of which is "God Be With You Until We Meet Again." He was also the author of a volume entitled "Broken Cadences." He is survived by a widow and two daughters, all of whom are now living in Cleveland.

Mrs. Barbara Franke.

Mrs. Barbara Franke, aged 51, widow of Charles Franke, died yesterday morning at the home of her son-in-law, Robert Gestrick, 4726 Liberty avenue. Mrs. Franke was a member of the Mt. Zion Lutheran church and is survived by a son, Edward Franke, a special officer attached to No. 6 police station, and three daughters—Mrs. Robert Gestrich and the Misses Minnie and Elsie, all of this city.

Obituary Notes.

Carl A. Birath, aged 19, is dead at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Birath, in East Eighth avenue, McKeesport.

Charles Moser of the Producers' Torpedo Company died yesterday in the Butler County General hospital, as the result of being accidentally shot by a companion while hunting on Thanksgiving day.

Mrs. Sarah Ann Bown, aged 90, widow of J. David Bown, died yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. L. Baines, 532 Greenfield avenue, where funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. Mabel Schaump died at the St. John's Lutheran Home for the Aged at Mars yesterday. Her only surviving relative is E. H. Gertle of Pittsburgh, a nephew, from whose home the funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon.

William J. Cunningham, a druggist, died at his home in Beaver Falls yesterday, aged 55. He is survived by his widow and one son, Philip, besides his father and two sisters. He was a Mason and a member of the Presbyterian church.

The remains of Mrs. Bertha Gilmore, aged 21, wife of John Gilmore of Pittsburgh, will be buried at New Castle today. Her death occurred Sunday at New Waterford, O., where she was visiting relatives. She leaves her husband and a daughter.

Robert P. McCauley is dead at his home in New Sewickley township, Beaver county. He was 68 years old and leaves a widow and two sons, Edwin O. McCauley, teller in the Freedom National bank, and James M. McCauley, teller in the First National bank of Rochester.

Mrs. Jacob Swihart, aged 84, died yesterday at Washington, Pa. Her husband, Jacob Swihart, a wealthy wool buyer, is 91 years old. The deceased was a member of the Cumberland Presbyterian church. Three children, Mrs. William Iams of Washington and Mrs. Eliza Bigler and Joseph Swihart of Bissell, survive.

Gen. Alfred Curtiss Barnes, vice president of the American Book Company of New York, died suddenly of pneumonia yesterday morning at his home, 144 Flatbush street, Brooklyn. He was the eldest son of A. S. Barnes, whom he succeeded as the head of the publishing house of A. S. Barnes & Co. The deceased was 63 years old. Gen. Barnes was born 63 years ago in Philadelphia.

Paintings at Carnegie Galleries (No. 1).

A PORTRAIT BY CECELIA BEAUX.

On the line in the north gallery, on the west wall (No. 23), hangs a distinguished portrait by Cecelia Beaux. Not only every form of appreciation to which she is eligible in this country has been offered to her, but the recognition with which she has been met abroad has been quite as flattering. At the Salon of the Champs de Mars, 1896, her work was accorded the coveted privilege of an ample space, where her whole exhibit could be seen together. This group included the portrait of Dr. Grier, "A New England Woman," now owned by the Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts; "Cynthia," "Ernesta," "Sita and Sarita" and the very beautiful canvas called "The Dreamer," distinguished by its atmosphere of the ideal.

Born in Philadelphia, her first instruction was given her by her aunt, Mrs. Thomas A. Janiver, the practical results of which was drawing upon stone for illustrating United States geographical reports, and later, when painting with Mr. William Sartain, an advance was made to children's portraits, copied on porcelain from photographs. By these slow and hampered ways a beginning in artistic work was at last made, and a canvas called "The Last Days of Infancy" received the Mary Smith prize at the Philadelphia Academy.

IMPORTANT CHANGES IN LOCAL PLAYHOUSES

One Theater to Close and Shift in Management of Others Will Follow.

Important changes are about to be made in the management of several Pittsburgh theaters, and one popular-priced downtown house will be closed. Other houses will continue under new management. A probable outcome is that independent attractions will find a haven in this city.

The program for the proposed change has not been mapped out, but an official statement is expected to be made before the end of the week. Several meetings of local managers have been held and the theatrical situation here has been thoroughly canvassed. S. F. Nixon of the firm of Nixon & Zimmerman, arrived in town from the east with A. L. Erlanger, of Klaw & Erlanger, yesterday, and met Will T. Davis of Chicago, Harry Davis and other local managers. Representatives of Stair & Havlan, Hyde & Behman and B. F. Keith, had a voice in the meeting.

All sorts of rumors were afloat last night. The managers refused to discuss the matter under consideration. Other meetings will be held today. In a general way all expressed themselves as satisfied with the business results in Pittsburgh, but the changes contemplated are expected to take the edge off competition among the downtown popular-priced houses.

WEST VIRGINIA MAYOR IS A BRITISH SUBJECT

Serving His Second Term and Nationality Not Developed Until the Last Election.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CUMBERLAND, MD., Nov. 28.—(Special.)—A peculiar state of affairs exists at Thomas, W. Va., a town of 3,000 inhabitants. The mayor now serving his second term, is a subject of Great Britain. Four years ago Dr. Robert R. McVettie went to Thomas to live, going to that place from the Dominion of Canada, where he was born. Regardless of the fact that he had failed to take out naturalization papers Dr. McVettie was nominated by the Republicans and elected mayor two years ago, and one year ago he was re-elected.

In West Virginia there is no registration law and McVettie's right to vote at the previous elections had never been questioned or his vote challenged. At the recent presidential election when McVettie went to the polls he was challenged and it then developed that he was a British subject.

MRS. MAYBRICK AT FUNERAL.

She Attends Services Over the Remains of Her Friend, Mrs. Helen Densmore.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Funeral services for Mrs. Helen Densmore, wife of Dr. Emmet Densmore, who passed away at her late residence, Dyker Heights, early Saturday morning, were held shortly before noon today at the house. Only a few relatives and friends were present at the services. Conspicuous among these was Mrs. Florence Maybrick, who has been making her home with the Densmores for some time.

Mrs. Maybrick was visibly affected by the death of her friend and she did not leave the room until long after the casket had been carried to the hearse. There was a generous supply of flowers. The body was taken to Fresh Pond, Long Island, to be cremated. Mrs. Maybrick accompanied the funeral procession, but the husband of the dead woman did not go.

BASSELL SUED FOR $35,000.

Result of the Domestic Troubles of Ophie M. Post—Defendant Accidently Shot Himself.

CLARKSBURG, W. VA., Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Ophie M. Post today instituted a $35,000 damage suit in circuit court here against A. D. Bassell as the result of domestic troubles in which Bassell is said to have figured. Post and his wife have separated. The litigants are wealthy residents of Harrison county, Bassell is a well-known cattle dealer.

On Saturday, while in a bowling alley, Bassell had his hand in his pocket clutching a revolver which was wrapped in a handkerchief. As he stooped to pick up a ball the revolver was discharged, the bullet entering his hip. The wound is not regarded as serious.

SAYS WIFE HAS MADE MATRIMONY A HABIT

Woman With Four Alleged Husbands Is Made a Defendant in Lawsuit.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—According to the statements sworn to in the action brought by Charles F. Henderson for an annulment of marriage, his wife, Kate Henderson, 30 years old, has made matrimony a habit. He alleges that she has three husbands over the limit allowed by law.

A peculiar phase of the case is furnished in the fact that, according to her, Henderson, who figures in the list of husbands as No. 3, lives also with No. 4, whom he specifically names in his complaint.

Henderson alleges his wife was first married in 1891 to John Gillingham. What became of Gillingham is not known. In 1893, Henderson says, she was married to Charles Benkenstein. Henderson himself was the third husband, having been married to her in 1895. He alleges both Gillingham and Benkenstein were alive at that time and that she had not been divorced from either. According to Henderson, the habit grew on his wife and in 1901 she married Victor Carl, who now lives in the same house she does.

Official Vote of Virginia.

RICHMOND, VA., Nov. 25.—The vote cast in Virginia for president was canvassed today. Parker received 80,664; Roosevelt, 48,181; Swallow, 1,585.

NOT FOR BEST FARM

In the State.

"I saw so much in the papers about the wonderful cures effected by Pyramid Pile Cure, I determined to give it a trial. I bought from my druggist one-fifty-cent box and used it as directed, and by the time I had used the last 'Pyramid' I was entirely cured; in four days after I began to use the 'pyramids' all inflammation was gone. I was perfectly easy all the time, the excessive discharge stopped at once, and stools became easy and gentle.

"I was unable to get my own firewood for four months, and half the time when I could walk at all I had to walk half bent. I used many pile remedies, salves and ointments, all to no effect, until I used one fifty-cent box of Pyramid Pile Cure and was cured.

"I would not be afflicted as I was four months ago for the best farm in the state of Arkansas. I can give proof and reference of the wonderful cures to all who are afflicted as I was. Please publish my letter that I may advise the afflicted." W. E. Wallis, Piggot, Ark., Box 26.

The experience of Mr. Wallis is that of thousands of others who suffer for years with the most painful form of hemorrhoids, or piles, and after trying everything they hear of, give up all hope of a cure and look for temporary relief only. To all such, a little book published by Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich., brings glad tidings, as it tells all about the cause and cure of piles, and is sent free for the asking.

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ITALIANS INFORM ON THE OUTLAWS

Organizing Society to Rid Their Colonies of Members of Bad Gang.

GET DISCHARGE OF TWO MEN

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

SCRANTON, Nov. 28.—Italians of the better class around Carbondale are organizing a society to rid their colonies of the members of the lawless gang which for the past year have been committing outrages. The first practical step to the end in view was taken Saturday, when a committee of the new organization furnished the Edgerton Coal Company officials with the names of four members of the lawless band and asked that they be discharged and evicted, which was done. Two of the four left the colony. The others secured quarters with parties who are suspected of being fellow members of the gang. The reformers will now try to have the company agree to banish from the colony anyone who gives shelter to a member of the gang.

The identity of most of the members of the gang has been revealed by one of its number, who was shot in the thigh by the alleged leader, last week, in a dispute over tribute money, which was secured from some terrorized fellow countryman. It is believed the gang is affiliated with the Mafia or some other like organization, as part of the tribute money is sent to a headquarters in New York, according to the statements made by members of the gang when levying tribute.

Tonight, Santo Corressi, one of the gang, was caught by a constable in the act of holding up and levying tribute on one of the Italians of the colony. The constable and three of the Law and Order men started to take Corressi to jail. Shots were exchanged with members of the gang, who fled, leaving all three of the constable's escort lying on the road with bullets in their bodies. The constable protected himself by holding his prisoner in front of him. Joseph Tolerico was shot through the head and heart and died in a few minutes. Frank Feressi died in the Emergency hospital from a bullet in his breast near the heart and another in the abdomen. The third victim received a bullet in the arm and after recovering from the shock was able to walk home. No trace has been found of the fugitive assailants up to a late hour tonight.

Wandered Into Wrong House.

Apparently dazed, a man wandered into the house of H. H. Bengough, 1729 Forbes street, Sunday night. When Miss Bengough ran across the man at the head of a flight of stairs, she was so scared that she fell down the stairs, and yesterday was still prostrated by the shock. The man was committed to jail yesterday by Magistrate Stewart until his case can be investigated. He says his name is David, that he lives in McKees Rocks, and that he had been in a hospital six weeks suffering from typhoid fever.

MARRIED.

BIDWELL-SELLERS—On Saturday, November 26, 1904, at the residence of the bride's brother, 1830 Pine street, Philadelphia, Pa., AGNES, daughter of the late David W. Sellers, to CLINTON M. BIDWELL.

DIED.

ALEXANDER—On Monday, November 28, 1904, at 5 p. m., LOTTIE M., daughter of J. W. and Mabel Alexander, aged 24 years.

Funeral from her parents' residence, 96 South Fifteenth street, on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Members of South Side Circle No. 112, P. H. C., and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

ANDERSON—Suddenly, on Monday, November 28, 1904, at 3 o'clock, GEORGE H. ANDERSON, in his 56th year.

Funeral services at his late residence, 1235 Warner street, Allegheny, on Wednesday, November 30, at 2 o'clock.

BATHGATE—Suddenly on Saturday, Nov. 26, 1904, at 5 p. m., WILLIAM P. N. BATHGATE, aged 53 years.

Funeral services at his residence 293 Shady avenue, Allegheny, on Tuesday, November 29, at 3 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

BLACK—On Saturday, November 26, 1904, at 3:30 p. m., at the family residence, corner of Steuben and Amelia streets, Elliott borough, THOMAS MORGAN BLACK, husband of Kate Black (nee McNeil).

Funeral Wednesday at 2 p. m.

BOWN—On Monday, November 28, 1904, at 12:10 p. m., SARAH ANN BOWN, relict of J. David Bown, in her 90th year.

Funeral services at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. R. L. Baines, 532 Greenfield avenue, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

De HAVEN—At rest, after a lingering illness, Monday morning, November 28, 1904, HARRIET A., daughter of the late Harmer and Jane Magee De Haven.

Funeral services at the residence of her brother-in-law, James Shaw, Glenshaw, Pa., on Wednesday afternoon, after the arrival of the 1:15 p. m. train on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private at Mount Royal cemetery.

EISENBEIS—On Monday, November 28, 1904, at 7:45 a. m., CHRISTINA BARBARA EISENBEIS, in her 96th year, at the residence of her grand-daughter, Mrs. Edward P. Kerr, 808 Church avenue, Allegheny.

Funeral services at Mrs. Kerr's residence on Wednesday, November 30, 1904, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

ELLIOTT—Suddenly on Sunday, Nov. 27, 1904, at 12:30 p. m., JAMES P. ELLIOTT, aged 33 years.

Funeral services at the residence of his father, John B. Elliott, 5818 Parker street, E. E., Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

ELLIOTT—On Sunday, November 27, 1904, at 12:30 p. m., ANDREW O. ELLIOTT, at his residence, Gill Hall, Pa., at the age of 40 years.

Funeral on Wednesday, November 30, 1904, at the United Presbyterian church, Gill Hall, at 11 a. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

FAULKNER—Suddenly on Saturday, Nov. 26, 1904, at Mercy Hospital, SAMUEL FAULKNER, aged 53 years.

Funeral services at his residence, corner Brighton road and Woodland avenue, Allegheny, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

FRANKE—On Monday, November 28, 1904, at 8:10 a. m., BARBARA FRANKE, widow of Charles Franke, aged 50 years 8 months 19 days.

Funeral from the residence of her son-in-law, Robert Gestrick, No. 4726 Liberty avenue, on Wednesday, November 30, at 3 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

[St. Louis, Chicago and Wheeling (W. Va.) papers please copy.]

HOLLIS—Suddenly on Saturday, November 26, 1904, at 7:45 p. m., WILLIAM, husband of Margaret Hollis (nee McGregor), in his 54th year.

Funeral services Tuesday at 2 p. m. at his late residence, No. 65 Anderson street, Herron Hill, Pittsburgh. Friends of the family and members of Center Avenue Lodge No. 124, A. O. U. W., are respectfully invited.

[Lewistown (Pa.) papers please copy.]

HOLMES—On Sunday morning, November 27, 1904, at 7 o'clock, SARAH E., widow of William Holmes, Sr.

Funeral services at her late residence, 704 South Negley avenue, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

HOUSTON—On Sunday, November 27, 1904, at 10 p. m., MISS ELIZABETH P. HOUSTON.

Funeral services at the residence of her brother, A. D. Houston, No. 233 Braddock avenue, Thirty-seventh ward, on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

JAMIESON—At Swissvale, Pa., on Monday, November 28, 1904, at 4 p. m., MARY A. JAMIESON, widow of John A. Jamieson, in her 76th year.

Funeral services will be held at her late residence, 7449 Church street, Swissvale, Pa., on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment at Monongahela cemetery.

KOEHN—On Saturday, November 26, 1904, at 5:30 p. m., WILLIAM C. KOEHN, aged 24 years.

Funeral from the residence of his mother, 701 Larimer avenue, East End, on Tuesday, November 29, at 2 p. m. Interment private.

LEECH—On Monday, November 28, 1904, at 6:30 a. m., CATHERINE DUNPHY, relict of Christopher Leech.

Funeral from the family residence, corner of Charles and Rose street, on Wednesday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Services at St. Brigid's church at 9 a. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

[Milwaukee (Wis.) and Brooklyn (N. Y.) papers please copy.]

MAGINN—In Chicago, Monday morning, November 28, 1904, at 5 o'clock, BERNARD B. MAGINN.

OPPENHEIMER—On Saturday, November 26, 1904, at 4:45 p. m. at 1617 Franklin street, Allegheny, SELLY OPPENHEIMER, husband of Laura Oppenheimer (nee Heilbronner), aged 48 years.

Funeral Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. Please omit flowers.

(Philadelphia and Bedford papers please copy.)

PAXTON—On Monday, November 28, 1904, at 1:15 a. m., at the family residence, Princeton, N. J., WILLIAM M. PAXTON, D. D., husband of Caroline S. Paxton (nee Denny), late professor of homiletics in the Princeton Theological seminary and a former pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Pittsburgh.

SANDERSON—On Monday, November 28, 1904, at 3 a. m., SARAH, wife of Thomas Sanderson, in her 76th year.

Funeral services at her late residence, Penn township, near Frankstown road, on Wednesday, November 30, at 2 p. m. Interment in Hebron cemetery.

SCHMITT—On Sunday, November 27, 1904, at 2:40 a. m., REGINA SCHMITT (nee Miller), beloved wife of Edward Schmitt, aged 40 years 10 months and 20 days.

Funeral services at her late home, No. 69 Industry street, Thirty-eighth ward, on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

SMITH—Suddenly, on Monday, November 28, 1904, at 2:15 a. m., MRS. MAGGIE SMITH (nee Dalzell), wife of Charles W. Smith, aged 60 years.

Funeral services at her late residence, 1901 Lithgow avenue, on Wednesday, November 30, at 1:30 p. m. Interment private at later hour.

STEIMELY—On Saturday, November 26, 1904, at 6:30 p. m., JACOB STEIMELY, aged 84 years, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Mary A. Lingle, 731 Frederick street, McKees Rocks, Pa.

Funeral services at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Mary Lingle, 731 Frederick street, McKees Rocks, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private at a later hour.

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CLERGYMEN URGE BALLOT REFORM

Delegation Asks Gov. Pennypacker's Support for Personal Registration Matter.

THE EXECUTIVE IS FAVORABLE

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU.
HARRISBURG, PA., Nov. 28.

"My mind at present is in favor of such legislation, but this is not a pledge that when I consider the matter thoroughly I will not change my opinion as well as veto a bill passed by the legislature if I find it does not, in my estimation, meet the requirements."

This assertion was made by Gov. Pennypacker to a committee of Philadelphia clergymen who called on him this afternoon to request his co-operation in the movement for the enactment of a personal registration law by the next legislature. The committee consisted of Coadjutor-Bishop Alexander Mackay-Smith, Bishop Cyrus D. Foss, Rabbi Henry Berkowitz, Rev. Frank P. Parkin, Rev. Edwin Heyl Delk and Rev. Charles A. Dickey.

Said Bishop Smith: "The grievous abuse of registration has come to our knowledge, and we seriously think the facts are made out. We think the abuses cannot be corrected, and no honest election held, except by personal registration. The laws are so frequently broken, and the state is so far behind others, we feel reform is needed."

Dr. Parkin spoke of alleged padding of the registry lists in the fifth and twenty-ninth wards of Philadelphia. The governor asked if he had any facts to show such conditions. "I can't deal in generalities or hearsay evidence," continued the executive. "If I say anything to the legislature it must be in facts. I never express an opinion unless it is well grounded on facts."

Dr. Parkin replied these conditions began first in the river wards, and gradually spread to the uptown wards. He cited several instances where the registry lists had been padded.

The governor told his experiences in reform movements in the past, and stated that while on the bench it was his duty to supervise the counting of votes, and in some instances to examine the lists. It was his experience that reports of fraudulent voting are much exaggerated.

"As a general thing," he added, "I don't believe these conditions exist, and should want evidence. I cannot see, in a city like Philadelphia where there is a majority that cannot be overcome, why the lists should be padded."

The governor advised the committee to employ an attorney who should give his views as to how a bill for personal registration should be framed. He said he was much impressed with the arguments of the committee, and since the people of the state by the constitution have arranged for a personal registration act, it looks as though the law ought to be passed.

"You may assume," said he in conclusion, "if you can show me the evil and give a practical remedy for it, I will go along with you. I don't put this in the shape of a pledge, for it upon further thought I should change my mind, I will not make any recommendation. If I am going to urge such an act I should be advised if it would be beneficial.

"My mind at present is in favor of legislation of that character, but again I say this is no pledge I will not change my mind. If the act is passed and comes to me, and in my judgment it does not cover the conditions, I must veto it."

Harrisburg's ministerial association, composed of all the Protestant clergymen in this city, has joined the movement in favor of the enactment of a personal registration law by the next legislature. Resolutions were adopted at a meeting today of the association, stating "it is a matter of common knowledge that there is much illegal voting in our state, and we believe personal registration will correct this evil."

The resolutions ask the next legislature to enact such a law, and ask Gov. Pennypacker to urge its enactment in his forthcoming biennial message.

LEADING HAITIAN CITIZENS ARE CHARGED WITH FRAUD

Former President Sam, Members of His Cabinet and Bank Officials Placed on Trial.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

PORT AU PRINCE, HAITI, Nov. 28.—The opening day of the trial of the alleged fraudulent bonds case passed without incident. Of the 33 persons accused, 13 were present, the others having fled. The French and German ministers to Haiti are in attendance. The French cruiser Trude and the German cruiser Panther are in the roadstead.

The trial grows out of an act of the Haitien congress in 1902 authorizing the consolidation of the national debt in a bond issue of approximately $6,000,000 and an additional $218,282 to be paid the bank for financing the deal. Before the transaction was completed the present government of President Alexis Nord came into power, when the officials of the bank were thrown into prison on November 8, 1904, on the charge of conspiring with the secretary of the treasury, Feine, in fraudulently issuing from $200,000 to $850,000 in bonds and of alleged bribery. Among the persons accused are J. de la Myre Mory, G. Ohirsch, R. Tippenhauer and Jean Batiste de Puybaudet, officers of the National Bank of Haiti, the first and last named being Frenchmen, and one or both of the others Germans. Others of the accused are Brutus St. Victor, Viborun Guillaume, Hebard R. Roy, Lycurgus and Demosthenes Sam of the Sam cabinet, and a former native president of the senate named Stewart, also former President Sam.

DICK DEFENDS HERRICK AT MEETING OF MINISTERS

Praises Brannock Local Option Bill. Declares the Governor Deserves Renomination.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

AKRON, O., Nov. 28.—Senator Charles Dick appeared before the Evangelical alliance, composed of the ministers of this city, today and defended Gov. Herrick and the Brannock local option law. He was asked innumerable questions by the ministers, especially why Herrick should be regarded as the nominee of the party next year. He stated because it is a party custom, and unless there is the best of reasons for not doing so, which, in this case, he contended there is no such reasons, the governor should have a second term.

The senator said: "I contend the governor signed a bill that is by far as good as any ever placed on the statute books of the state. My own feeling is that instead of condemning the governor we should commend him. Gov. Herrick did the cause of conservative temperance legislation a great favor."

Senator Dick, in answer to a question, said George B. Cox did say that Herrick would have to be renominated, "but Cox is only an individual," said the senator.

KILLED HANDSOME WIDOW.

This Is the Charge Made Against an Orderly in the State Treasurer's Office, New York.

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 28.—Joseph F. White, for 10 years orderly in the state treasurer's office, is under arrest here charged with shooting Mrs. Josephine Russell, a handsome widow, this afternoon. White is 65 years old, and a widower. Mrs. Russell is 35 years old.

Early this morning White appeared at a milk depot where Mrs. Russell traded. When she came in, without a word he shot her in the neck. She fell and then, slowly and with deliberate aim, the police charge, White fired three more shots into her body. He made no attempt to escape and when arrested denied committing the crime. Mrs. Russell died.

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WOMAN MADE A MILLION BY RISE IN STEEL STOCKS

She Staggered a Broker by Ordering 10,000 Shares of Common After He Had Told Her the Iron Market Had Gone to Pieces.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—What is vouched for as a true story is going the rounds of Wall street. It is about a woman who has made $1,000,000 out of the rise in steel stocks. The lady in question is a widow, and a permanent guest at the Waldorf. Her children are married, and her one paramount diversion is the stock market. Last May when the stock market was in the dumps, she summoned the representative of a Wall street commission house to her hotel.

"What do you think of the stock market?" was her first question.

The broker replied that it was weak and uninteresting, with no prospect of betterment.

"What do you think of Steel?"

"Well, the common is not worth the paper it is printed on, and the dividend on the preferred is likely to be cut in July. The bottom has dropped out of the iron market, so good people tell me."

"What is Steel common now?"

"Oh, about 9."

"Buy me 10,000 shares at 10 or better."

"I beg pardon," exclaimed the astonished broker.

"I say, buy me 10,000 shares at 10 or better."

The wondering broker made the purchase and at once grew cynical upon the value of woman's judgment. Several days later his opinion was stumped again when this same client ordered him to buy Steel preferred at 55.

The summer months dragged into autumn. Prices fluctuated like the weakened pulse of a dying man, but never once did the woman plunger lose her faith in Steel.

With the turn in the market came her triumph, for the broker who was summoned to her suite when asked what his opinion was of Steel, with a Chesterfieldian bow said:

"Madam, I want to ask your advice about the market."

She did not tell him, but subsequent events show she took a profit of over a million as the result of her faith in a rising market.

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WAS DRIVEN INSANE BY BRUTAL ROBBERY

New York Man Lost Money and Clothes and Was Left to Perish in a Ditch.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

RYE, N. Y., Nov. 28.—After being held up, robbed of his money and clothes, and left for dead on the frozen highway, Andrew Taylor, a farm hand of Sound Beach is now a maniac in the Rye lockup.

When Taylor was found early this morning he was nearly dead and had to be assisted to police headquarters, and after thawing out he attacked a tramp who was being sheltered for the night and nearly killed him.

Taylor was walking from Rye to Sound Beach. He was held up by three men, who knocked him down, took $6 10 he had in his pockets, then stripped him of a new suit and shirt he wore and after kicking him in the chest and stomach, threw him into a ditch which was partly filled with icy water. He had just enough strength left to crawl out of the ditch, or he would have drowned.

NO DIPLOMATIC VISIT.

The Presence of Prince Fushimi of Japan in This Country Has No Political Bearing, It Is Said.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—At the state department today it was said the visit of Prince Fushimi of Japan to the United States had disclosed no political import to the government. His two conferences with Secretary Hay are stated to have been on questions entirely removed from present day diplomacy.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 28.—Prince Fushimi of Japan, accompanied by Mayor Weaver, visited Independence hall and viewed the Liberty bell today. Later he visited the League Island navy yard, where he was received with the honors due his rank, including a salute from the big guns, and the turning out of the marine battalions.

SAME OLD DOCTRINE.

New England Anti-Imperialistic League Changes Its Name But Emphasizes Its Protest Against Sovereignty.

BOSTON, Nov. 28.—The New England Anti-Imperialist league today voted to change the name to "the Anti-Imperialist league." The following clause was made a part of the constitution:

"This league demands for all people under the United States government the rights guaranteed by the constitution. Its object is by all proper means to oppose as inconsistent with American ideals the forcible extension of the sovereignty of the United States over foreign peoples, and in particular to work constantly for the early and complete independence of the Philippine islands."

CONGRESSMAN GRANGER GETS HIS OLD SEAT

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 28.—Congressman Daniel L. D. Granger, the Democratic candidate in the First congressional district, after a fortnight's recounting of ballots by the state returning board, was today declared re-elected to his seat in congress by 133 votes over his Republican opponent, Judge John H. Stiness.

Civil Service Rules Extended.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—President Roosevelt has issued an order amending the civil service rules so as to include within the classified service the positions of deputy collectors of customs and the chief collector at each sub-port. Future appointments, therefore, must be based upon competitive examinations. The order affects about 400 positions.

Valentine Held to Grand Jury.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 28.—The cases in connection with the strike of iron molders in this city were called today. Joseph F. Valentine, president of the Iron Molders' union of North America, charged with aiding and abetting in the destruction of property at the Eureka foundry, waived examination and was bound over to the grand jury in $2,000.

To Send Jews to America.

COPENHAGEN, Nov. 28.—Herr Gludestadt, a well-known banker, and other prominent Jews, have formed an organization to assist the Russian Jews in emigrating to America through Danish ports. Funds are being collected to facilitate their passage and give the emigrants a start in life.

MR. PARKER WILL PLEAD BEFORE HIS OLD COURT

Defeated Democratic Nominee Will Argue Case Before Bench from Which He Resigned.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 28.—The unprecedented spectacle of a former chief judge of the court of appeals arguing a case before the court from which he resigned to become a candidate for the presidency of the United States, will be presented here Tuesday of next week, when former Judge Alton B. Parker will appear to argue the first case in which he has made public appearance as counsel in many years.

The case in which Mr. Parker is to appear is that of Elizabeth Reich, plaintiff-appellant, against Edith La Bau Dyer and Lillian La Bau Aymar, as executrices of the last will and testament of Alice V. La Bau, deceased. Mrs. La Bau was an aunt of William K. Vanderbilt and the litigation grew out of a transaction concerning the Brentwood farm, adjoining the estate of Mr. Vanderbilt in Suffolk county.

Judge Parker, it is stated, will argue the case before the court of appeals at the request of Mrs. Reich's husband, who he has known for years.

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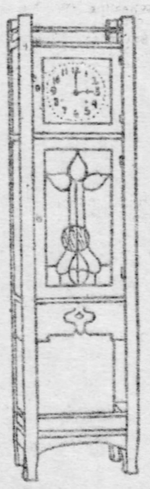

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GRAND JURY HAS SIBLEY'S CHARGES

Judge Orders Investigation of Accusations Against Venango County Officials.

CONGRESSMAN MAY TESTIFY

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

FRANKLIN, Nov. 28.—Judge Criswell today referred to the grand jury the charges of corruption in the office of the county commissioners to which Congressman Joseph C. Sibley last week called attention in an open letter, with instructions to investigate them thoroughly. The investigation will probably begin on Thursday. District Attorney McBride is trying to find Mr. Sibley with a view to summoning him before the grand jury to tell what he knows in regard to the charges. He is in St. Petersburg, Fla., or Washington, D. C., but tonight no word from him had been received. The only other person whom the district attorney has decided to call is John Irwin, one of the present board of commissioners, who is claimed by Mr. Sibley to have knowledge of some of the corruption charged. In addressing the grand jury Judge Criswell said:

"In an open letter the Hon. Joseph C. Sibley has called attention to certain charges of corruption and malfeasance in office on the part of county officials. It is alleged that for many years there has existed a ring of public plunderers. Contracts for bridges are alleged to have been given at costs far in excess of their value; that false plans have been substituted for genuine plans; that bonafide bidders have bid upon expensive masonry, while those in the ring have substituted cheap work; that after bids have been asked for and received, the successful bidders, who were connected with the ring, were permitted to build light foundations and light superstructure, the difference of cost being divided among the spoilsmen. It is further alleged that from the safe in the office of the county commissioners the plans, which would have convicted those guilty of wrongdoing, have been secretly abstracted with but a limited number of individuals knowing the combination to the safe. For how many years these practices have prevailed is not alleged, but it is believed to have been for many years. The amount of money alleged to have been stolen from the taxpayers is believed to be upwards of $100,000. It is alleged that those who divided the taxpayers' money are known. It is alleged that the facts are known to the present county commissioners. If this be true, the taxpayers should call upon them to be taken into their confidence, and assistance should be pledged for the prosecution, conviction and punishment of those guilty and for recovering, so far as possible, the alleged stolen funds."

FAY CONTINUES TO MYSTIFY.

The Woman Who Tells Things Began Second Week at Old City Hall Last Night.

Anna Eva Fay entered on the second week of her engagement at Old City hall last night before a large audience. The woman's performances last week mystified thousands. The wonder she excites seems to be growing and the oftener she is seen the more inexplicable her work appears.

Last night the committee on the stage when the woman presented her cabinet experiments consisted of Drs. William D. King and E. T. Tripp and Joseph Landau. In this part of the performance Miss Fay is securely tied, her hands being bound together and then fastened to an upright fixed on the stage. Dr. King attended to the tying himself and seemed to be confident that the little woman would be unable to move her hands. That is precisely what she seemed to do, however, for she did a number of remarkable things that would need hands for anyone else to do them. Yet when the hands were examined they were found to be just as Dr. King had tied them.

The questions asked last night related largely to lost jewelry and other valuables. There will be a special matinee for women only tomorrow afternoon.

MOTORMAN SAW STRANGE SIGHT

Ran Down and Killed a Man, Who, He Thought, Was Pushed by Companion.

LEVI HUTSON SENT TO JAIL

John J. Mansfield was run down and killed last evening by car No. 389 on the McKees Rocks branch of the Pittsburgh Railways Company. It seemed like an ordinary street car fatality until the motorman of the car, Jacob Pfender, told his story, after which Levi Hutson was arrested and committed to jail to await the result of the coroner's inquest.

Pfender's story was that as his car was approaching the foot of Ninth street, Esplen, he saw two men apparently "scrapping" on the narrow sidewalk, which runs within two feet of the street car tracks. He said he thought the man who was killed was pushed in front of the car by his companion.

The motorman repeated this story to John P. Black, deputy coroner, and the conductor, W. W. Matthews, told Black that when he got off the car to see what it had struck a man, pointing under the car, said: "There's a man under there," and walked rapidly away.

Black took the corpse to the morgue, and soon Frank W. Meadowcroft appeared and identified the body as that of Mansfield, who was 53 years old, came from Providence, R. I., and was employed by the Providence Construction Company on the new power plant in course of erection on Brunots Island. Meadowcroft is a foreman for the company.

Hutson was arrested at the St. Charles hotel within 45 minutes after the death of Mansfield. He explained his haste in quitting the scene of the accident, before his friend was extricated from the wheels by saying that he had to attend a meeting or reception at the St. Charles hotel. He admitted that he and Mansfield had been in a saloon and had crossed the street in front of the car, but maintained that Mansfield stumbled from the sidewalk, falling in front of the car.

Hutson was arrested by C. L. Turrell, a special policeman of the Pittsburgh Railways Company. He boards at No. 700 River avenue, Esplen, and Mansfield boarded in Fifth street, Esplen. Hutson is a native of Newfoundland and came to Esplen from Boston to work for the Providence company seven months ago.

The body of the man found dead in a field near DeHaven was identified yesterday by Mrs. Eliza J. Dougherty of 213 Lacock street, Allegheny, as that of her brother, William McFarland, a bricklayer, who married with her. Mrs. Dougherty last saw her brother alive on November 12, when he left the house.

Annie Turek, a domestic at the boarding house of Mrs. Schlanger, 41 Federal street, was so badly burned yesterday that she died a few hours later at the Homeopathic hospital.

George H. Anderson, a plumber, living with his mother at 1235 Warner street, Allegheny, committed suicide yesterday by hanging.

the body down. Mrs. Anderson said her son was a sufferer from rheumatism and had recently returned from a sojourn at Mt. Clemens, Mich., unimproved in health. He was melancholy about his condition, which prevented him from obtaining work.

Mrs. Maggie Smith, wife of Charles C. Smith, 1901 Lithgow avenue, Allegheny, set fire to her clothing while suffering from dementia, early yesterday morning and was fatally burned.

Annie Solak, 5 years old, died in her home in Woodland avenue, Allegheny, of burns. She was playing about a bonfire which children of the neighborhood had ignited, and her skirt caught fire.

Margaret McCormick, aged 45, died suddenly at her home, 120 Forty-fifth street, of heart disease.

John Wirth, who lived at 1527 Howard street, Allegheny, was found dead in the basement of the apartment house, 204 North avenue. Wirth, who was known to the engineer of the building, went into the basement at night and sat down in a chair. The engineer thought he was dozing, but when he tried to awaken him found he was dead.

Mrs. August Link, aged 58, died yesterday at the McKeesport hospital after an operation. Her husband and one son survive.

NEWS OF THE NEARBY TOWNS AND COUNTRY

CLUB FOUND WITH WHICH MRS. WARNER WAS KILLED

Scranton Police Argue the Woman Must Have Been Victim of an Insane Man.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

SCRANTON, Nov. 28.—The club with which Mrs. Mary Warner was struck was found by the police this morning about 175 yards from the place where the murder occurred. Later this afternoon the club was identified as the handle of a cantbook that had been used in handling mine props in the yard of the Pine Brook colliery a quarter of a mile from the scene of the murder.

The police have no clue and are at a loss for any better theory than that it was the work of an insane man. A man in his senses they argue would not have attempted the deed, at such a comparatively early hour in a place where an outcry could be heard by possibly a hundred people—either neighbors or pedestrians on the adjacent streets.

Mayor A. T. Connell today offered a reward of $500 for the apprehension of the murderer. It is expected the county commissioners will offer a reward tomorrow.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

DONORA—Margin Chorba hung himself in the basement of a vacant house here.

COSHOCTON, O.—Verne and Alva Rivers, who were caught trying to rob the Warsaw bank last September, were yesterday sentenced to 12 years each in the Ohio penitentiary.

COSHOCTON, O.—The 400 miners of the Wade and Morgan run mines voted to accept the proposition of President Dennis of Cleveland for arbitration, and started to work yesterday.

KITTANNING—The Consolidated Natural Gas Company has brought in a well on the Samuel Zimmerman farm, in Rayburn township, which is producing 3,000,000 feet of gas every 24 hours.

SHARON—Ten mills of the South Sharon plant of the American Sheet and Tin Plate Company will resume operations next Wednesday morning. Additional mills will be started on the following Monday. About 1,100 men are affected.

SHARON—W. E. Porter, until recently superintendent of the Sharon works of the Carnegie Steel Company, left today for Birmingham, where he will assume charge of the open-hearth department of the Birmingham Iron and Steel Company.

ROJESTVENSKY HEARD FROM.

Baltic Squadron Division Under His Command Is at Southwest Africa.

CAPE TOWN, CAPE COLONY, Nov. 28.—A dispatch to the Argus says that Admiral Rojestvensky's division of the Russian second Pacific squadron is coaling off Swakopmund, German Southwest Africa.

PRAWL POINT, Nov. 28.—Three vessels, each with three funnels and presumably Russian first class auxiliary steamers and third class cruisers, passed westward today.

Oysters and Roast Pork.

The East Liberty Hunting and Fishing club has received a barrel of oysters and a young pig, presents from James Dolan, a Baltimore politician, with whom the club has formed a lasting friendship during the course of several trips down Chesapeake bay. The club is going to have a supper tomorrow evening. Police Officer Charles Shields, who is the cook of the club, is going to stuff the pig with chestnuts, the oysters with cracker dust, and the members of the club with roast pork and oysters, and a great time is promised.

Was Out After 200 Girls.

G. G. Hill of Buffalo was arrested yesterday by Special Policemen Edward Dunn and Robert Denniston, and locked up as a suspicious person. Hill inserted an advertisement in a local paper asking for 200 girls. He refused to tell Superintendent McQuaide why he wanted the girls. A young man who was with him told the superintendent that he had advanced $150 to Hill, but did not know why the girls were wanted. The young man seemed so innocent that he was not locked up.

TIN MILL WORKER BECOMES PREACHER

The Rev. J. A. Sadler.

NEW CASTLE, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—The Rev. A. J. Sadler of this city, who recently accepted a call from the Stanford (N. Y.) Presbyterian church, is a New Castle man who has worked his way from the tin mill to the pulpit. As a boy he was employed in the hot mills of the Greer tin plant and saved sufficient money to pay his expenses through Amherst college, where he was graduated four years ago. Returning here he again went to work in the tin mill, after receiving his college degree, until he accumulated sufficient funds to meet his expenses while attending the Union Theological seminary, New York, where he graduated last summer. He has been visiting relatives here.

SIGNED AWAY HER SHARE BY MISREPRESENTATION

Wife of Deceased Washington County Man Asks for Third of Estate. Accuses Children.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, PA., Nov. 28.—Suit was brought here today by Mrs. McGugin, widow of A. V. McGugin, a wealthy resident of Mt. Pleasant township, wherein she seeks to recover a third of her late husband's estate, valued at several hundred thousand dollars. In his will he bequeathed his wife a life annuity of but $500. There was filed with the probating of the will what purported to be the election of Mrs. McGugin in which she chose to take the annuity left her in the will, instead of one-third of the estate due her under the state law.

Mrs. McGugin asserts in her statement filed in the suit she was induced to sign the election through misrepresentation on the part of the executors and legatees and had no knowledge of the purport of the paper which she signed.

The court has granted a rule on her two children, James A. McGugin and Mrs. Vinta M. Paul, the other legatees, to show cause why their mother should not repudiate her election to the $500 annuity.

Youngstown Strikers Summon Shaffer.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Nov. 28.—(Special.)—The strikers here have summoned President Theodore J. Shaffer of the Amalgamated association to the city. When the strike started he was ill. After he was able to leave his bed he announced that he would devote his time to the strike here. He has been here two or three times and it was supposed he would be here when the big party of strikers left for the west on Thanksgiving day. He did not appear. The summons is now an official one from the strikers' executive board.

CAMPAIGN WORKER SUED BY DEFEATED CANDIDATE

Latter Asks $6,000 Damages—Action Against Sheriff by Two Men Who Put Cash Bonds.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

GREENSBURG, Nov. 28.—As a result of his defeat for justice of the peace in Franklin township, C. H. Williamson has sued I. G. Kemerer for $6,000 for alleged damages. Williamson alleges Kemerer worked to secure his defeat, by making slanderous statements.

Sheriff John H. Trescher is the defendant in two suits brought by David Drylie and F. J. Clayton of Larimer. The plaintiffs allege Frank Folsom, a former jail warden, secured $200 from each of them to guarantee their appearance at a hearing in Greensburg in a civil proceeding. Folsom upon receiving the forfeits left Greensburg and is still missing. Drylie and Clayton appeared at the hearing and asked for their forfeits.

Sheriff Trescher says Folsom was not a deputy sheriff and was not authorized by law to take forfeits.

Smith Sentenced for Forgery.

UNIONTOWN, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Six years in the western penitentiary was the sentence imposed today on Arthur E. Smith, charged with forging the name of J. S. Douglass of Uniontown to a check for $3,852, which Smith presented at the Second National bank of Brownsville, August 9, 1904, and received $265 in cash and the remainder in certified checks. At East Palestine, O., he secured $350 at one bank and $165 at another. He was captured in Salt Lake City and brought back to Uniontown.

Convicted of Attempt to Wreck a Car.

FAIRMONT, W. VA., Nov. 28.—Vernie Davis, aged 14, was arrested and found guilty today of attempting to wreck a heavily loaded street car two weeks ago. Davis will be taken to the reform school. Local Detective Watson gets the $500 reward offered by the traction company for arrest and conviction of the guilty party.

Carnegie Stack to Be Blown In.

YOUNGSTOWN, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—The Niles stack of the Carnegie Steel Company will be blown in on Wednesday.

CANADA SEIZES TEN AMERICAN FISHING BOATS

EASTPORT, ME., Nov. 28.—Ten fishing vessels owned in Eastport and Lubec were seized by the Canadian fisheries protective cruiser Curlew, near St. George, N. B., last night. The value of the boats and their equipment aggregate more than $20,000.

Combine After Braddock Brewery.

Stockholders of the Home Brewing Company of Braddock were notified yesterday that a meeting will be held Tuesday, December 27, to act upon a proposition from the brewery combine of Western Pennsylvania for the purchase of the plant. The Braddock brewery was built at a cost of $210,000 three and a half years ago.

Against Religious Processions.

HAVANA, Nov. 28.—The house today by a vote of 37 to 10 passed the bill prohibiting religious processions in the streets. There were spirited speeches against any enactment having a semblance of the curtailment of religious liberty; but the majority contended that it was not proper to force a spectacular form of worship upon the people by parading it in the streets.

Bishop Horstman Settles Strike.

SANDUSKY, O., Nov. 28.—The strike of the 800 or more employes of the Kelley Island Lime and Transportation Company at Marblehead and Kelley Island, begun last Tuesday, has been settled through the mediation of Bishop Horstmann of the Roman Catholic diocese of Cleveland.

TO TAKE CHURCH TO WASHINGTON

Charges Filed There Against the Rev. I. S. Lee for Insubordination.

AUTHORITY OF COURT DENIED

The Bethel African Methodist Episcopal church, or all that is left of it, will go to Washington, Pa., this morning and help along in the hearing which it is proposed to hold in the case of the Rev. Dr. I. S. Lee, whom several ministers of this district seek to have tried upon charges preferred before Carter Wright, presiding elder of the Washington district.

The proceedings grow out of the trouble which has arisen in the Wylie avenue church. It is alleged to be the result of church politics and an effort on the part of certain ministers to get rid of Lee, who has not made himself popular with certain ministers, with the bishop of this district, nor with certain members of his and sister churches who have control of the great Avery fund, which was left for the support of negro schools and churches.

Charges have been preferred against Lee by W. H. Brown, presiding elder of the Allegheny district, John W. Riley, an unassigned minister of the church, and B. Wheeler, pastor of one of the other churches and late presiding elder of the Pittsburgh district. The charges have been filed with the presiding elder of the Washington district. This is a peculiar proceeding and said to be at variance with the law of the church. Lee is a resident of Pittsburgh and was assigned to a church in Wheeling. He tendered his resignation to the presiding elder of that district and received a reply accepting it. Now he is charged with insubordination in failing to go to the charge to which he was assigned.

Another specification in the charges against him is schism, it being claimed that he has led a split in Bethel church and taken away several hundred members of that church. The third specification is pastoral interference, it being claimed that Lee interfered with the peaceful and orderly administration of the church work at Bethel.

The Lee people are paying no attention to the threatened trial and Pastor Lee has announced that he will not attend, denying the jurisdiction of the Washington presiding elder in the case. He claims the charges should have been filed before the presiding elder of the Wheeling district, of which he is legally a member, according to the laws of the church. The anti-Lee faction of Bethel is to go to Washington in a body today to be present and testify if the matter goes to a trial.

Lee claims the whole trouble is caused by a tight combination of negroes in this city who, for about 40 years, have held the control of certain funds which amount to more than $250,000. Lee has been fighting for an audit of certain matters concerning a part of this fund, and it was his demand that the books be audited which started the trouble. He has been offered a large church in one of the southern states, but has refused to accept it, having determined to remain in Pittsburgh and fight this case to a finish.

A council of bishops has been called to meet in Allegheny, in January, and charges will then be filed against Bishop W. P. Derrick by Pastor Lee and all the trouble in Bethel congregation will receive an airing. The council will be presided over by Bishop Turner, who recently came here from Atlanta, Ga., to try to settle this trouble and was forced to leave the city by an element opposed to Lee. The fight promises to be the greatest battle which has ever taken place in the African Methodist Episcopal church.

RUSSIA AND AMERICA TO CONCLUDE TREATY

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 28.—Russia has accepted the invitation of the United States to conclude an arbitration treaty on the lines of the American-French treaty. This will be the first arbitration treaty Russia has ever arranged with a foreign power.

MIDVALE TO BID ON ARMOR PLATE

Company's Success in Field Last Year Encourages It to New Efforts.

WILL MEET TWO COMPETITORS

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau, Press Building, PHILADELPHIA, PA., Nov. 28.

Steps to follow up the advantage gained a year ago by breaking into the previously exclusive field of the Steel trust are being taken by the Midvale Steel Company. Should it do no more than hold the ground it gained last year, when there was awarded to it the contract for 6,000 tons of armor plate out of a total of 10,000 for the new battleships, it will secure a big slice of 8,000 tons which will be contracted for by the government soon.

This new armor contract will be for the proposed new battleships New Hampshire, North Carolina and Montana, and will be fought for by the Carnegie, Bethlehem and Midvale companies. While no official tests have yet been made of the Midvale armor, rigid tests made by the company on some of the new plates show they will easily come up to the government's requirements.

James F. Sullivan, vice president of the Midvale company, said this afternoon: "By the request of the navy department, we have established an inflexible rule to say nothing concerning the company. This rule extends not only to maintaining secrecy as to our process for armor plate, but also to such matters as our intention to bid on future contracts, or of possible enlargements of our works. The navy department at Washington reserves the right to give out information whenever, there is anything to give."

SIGNS IN STREET CARS NOT TO BE CALLED POETRY

University Extension Lecturer Says They Have Form But Not Substance, and Describes Real Poetry.

The rhymed advertisements which catch the eyes of street car riders are not poetry. So declared Dr. Nathaniel Butler, professor of education at the University of Chicago, in his lecture in the University Extension course at the Conservatory of Music last evening. This was the third of the series, its subject being "Leading Forms of English Poetry."

"Poetry," said the lecturer, "is usually thought of as metrical or versified composition. But not every versified composition is poetry; for example, the rhymed advertisements. These have the form of poetry, but not the substance. Highly emotional or imaginative prose, like passages from the prophets, the Psalms and Revelation are poetry in substance, but not, as we have them, in form. But poetry must be such both in substance and in form. Poetry may then be defined as 'the language of emotion or imagination expressed in metrical form.'"

Prof. Butler then described the varied forms of English poetry. The ballad he described as the simple and democratic story; the epic as the artistic and aristocratic. The writing of feelings in verse gives rise to the lyric, "a mood in verse." The idyl he called "a scene colored by an emotion." The ode he described as a poem containing profound thought and deep emotion wrought out step by step. The fixed 14-line form of the sonnet he claimed to have been proved by the masters of English poetry admirably adapted to the deeply felt emotion.

A second classification made poetry start from versified wit, and rise through narration and description to that dealing with man, nature and human life. Closing he said:

"The poet is a seer, a prophet, an interpreter of life. We are losers if we are not readers of poetry. He who can teach us to love and read poetry has a mission for us not much below that of him who can unfold to men in a meaning way the message and meaning of the Christian gospel."

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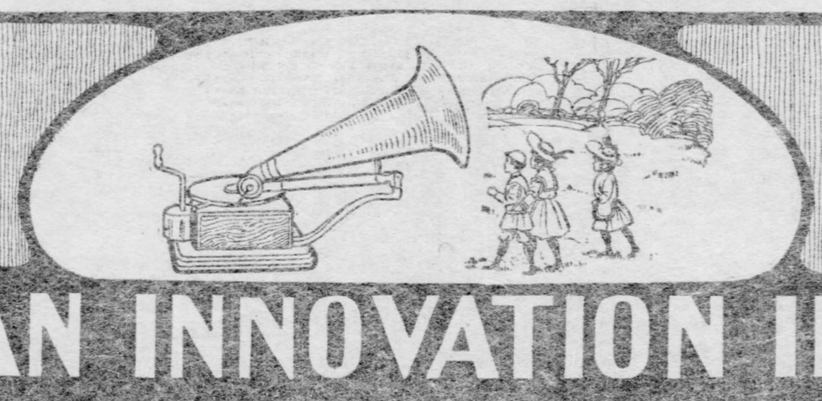

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Edison standard phonograph, complete, 20.00
Edison home phonograph, complete, 30.00
Edison triumph phonograph, complete, 50.00
Columbia disc record graphophones, complete at the following prices—15.75, 20.00, 22.50, 25.00, 30.00, 35.00, 50.00 and 65.00

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No. 16, drop head, with 5 drawers, 25.00
No. 17, drop head, with 7 drawers, 27.50

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BOTH FIGHTERS ARE READY FOR TONIGHT'S BATTLE

CORBETT STILL RULES FAVORITE

Betting in 'Frisco Is 2 to 1 and the Little Dane Places Some Cash on His Chances.

WILL BE A FAST BATTLE

(Special Telegram to The Gazette.)

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., Nov. 28.—The sporting element has plumped to Young Corbett. He is a 2-to-1 favorite over Battling Nelson for tomorrow night's contest at Woodward's pavilion, and the chances are the price against the Dane will be 10 to 4 before the starting bell hurries them to the scratch.

Luckily for Nelson, this thing of being the underdog in public opinion has no discouraging effect upon him. He is used to it. He said a short time ago that if he went into the ring a favorite in one of his contests in this city he would not know how to behave.

In this particular instance Nelson is pleased at the way the price against him has lengthened. He has practiced thrift during the last year of his fighting career and now finds himself in a position to put a decent bet on himself. He wagered some of his money when the odds against him were 10 to 7. He has still $500 to invest. He feels now that he is sure of getting 2 to 1 and perhaps better. Moreover, some of his neighbors and friends in his home town have sent him commissions to execute, and he is glad that he is able to place the money to such advantage. He does not seem to dream of the possibility of the whole business—money, odds and all—being raked in by the other side. It is this extreme confidence in his own resources that causes the wise men of sportdom to regard Nelson as a comparatively easy mark for Corbett.

"Show me the man who will go in and fight Corbett and I'll show you the man Corbett can lick," is what might be termed the composite sentiment of the wiseacres.

Terry McGovern and Eddie Hanlon are quoted as the two most striking instances of the effect of the contention. Prior to the advent of Corbett, Terry McGovern was the champion in fighting. He smothered his opponents and battered them to the floor by dint of fast and forceful work at close quarters. When he stood up with Corbett in a Hartford ring three years ago no one thought the little unknown from Denver had a good thing of a show. He stretched McGovern on the floor in two rounds, and so he has dealt out similar treatment to every lad of the McGovern stamp he has fought since.

Battling Nelson fights along the same lines as Terry McGovern, and for fear that there should be any mistake about it he has declared that his one aim from the first tinkle of tomorrow night's bell will be to step at and after Corbett. It is the belief that Nelson will do as he says, and the further belief that Corbett can outpunch any man who will go in and fight him has made Corbett a favorite at odds of 2 to 1.

If it were not that each of these 130-pounders is thought to possess a world of endurance most people would look for a phenomenally short contest tomorrow night. As it is, neither of the principals believes the affair will go the limit provided for in the articles. Nelson, in his characteristic way, said a day or two ago that if the fight should by any chance last 20 rounds he would go bail that the spectators would admit they never saw such a display will and staying power. What is more, he remarked the winner would need some nursing and resting up before tackling Jimmy Britt.

Of a certainty, the thing that holds out promise of a desperate encounter is in sight. Each man is a specialist at breast to breast fighting, and each bears up so bravely and stands under such heavy fire that sporting men sometimes get to wondering how much force would need to be behind a blow to send either pugilist down for the count.

IRVINGS WIN OPENING GAME.

Nationals Are Beaten, 5 to 0, in First Contest of Duquesne Amateur Hockey League.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Irvings	1	0	1000	East End	0	0	.000
Nationals	0	1	.000	Library	0	0	.000

The Duquesne Amateur Hockey league opened its season last evening, the Irvings winning from the National seven, 5 to 0. Myers shot two goals and E. Robinson the same number before the first half closed. In the last period Robinson shot another. The line-up:

Irvings—5.		Nationals—0.
Chandler	Goal	Bialas
Schmidt	Point	Seager
Smith	Cover point	Leech. Hokey
Beegle	Forward	Curley. Charles Myers
	Center	Boyle. C. McFarland
E. Robinson	Right wing	H. McFarland
Campbell	Left wing	Woll. McMorris

Goals—E. Robinson 3, Myers 2. Referee—J. McMorris.

WALLACE FOR NEW YORK.

Millvale Boy Has Been Sold, and Jimmy Williams Will Be Dropped.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Manager Clark Griffith of the New York American league team has signed Bobby Wallace to play shortstop for the Yankees next season. Wallace was one of the best players with the St. Louis Browns last season, and is one of the greatest shortstops in the country.

Norman Elberfeld, who held down shortstop for the Yanks last season, is to take Jimmy Williams' place and the latter will be dropped. It is also pretty certain that Griffith will get Heidrick, also of the Browns.

HERRON HILL A. C. HAS ITS MEN IN THE TOURNAMENT

The entry list of the Herron Hill A. C. athletes for the amateur boxing and wrestling tournament at McKeesport, which opens tonight, were held out by a disgruntled club member. The list, however, was handed in yesterday by other Herron Hill members. They follow: Boxing—105-pound class, Frank Mannel and Frank Brennan; 115-pound class, Duncan Campbell and William P. Keeley; 125 and 135-pound class, Harry Wilson. Wrestling—115-pound class, Frank Hilliah and George Bronner; 125-pound class, Michael McGarvey; 145-pound class, William Hilliah and Jack Griffin. This completes an entry list that insures the finest amateur athletic event ever pulled off in this end of the state.

D. L. and G. A. Is Swamped.

The Charters V. B. team of Carnegie easily defeated the D. L. and G. A. team of Pittsburgh at Carnegie last night, 72 to 6. Score:

C. V. B.—72.		D. L. and G. A.—6.
T. Wagner	R. F.	E. Lawrence
Lampe	L. F.	J. Lawrence
B. F. Frye	C	Flaherty
Kirk	R. G.	Dugan
M. F. Frye	L. G.	Callahan

Substitutions—Keller for B. Frye; McGraw for E. Lawrence. Goals from field—T. Wagner, 7; Lampe, 3; B. Frye, 4; Kirk, 10; M. Frye, 6; Flaherty, 1; Callahan, 1; Keller, 1; McGraw, 1.

Notice to Frank Hyde.

Frank Hyde, the old D. C. and A. C. basketball player is requested to be at this office tonight at 7 o'clock.

AMONG THE PASSERS.

Thursday evening the South Side Turners will open their season at their hall with the Almedas.

The South Side Crescents wish to arrange games with 14 and 15-year-old teams. Address J. F. McCloskey, 711 Frick building, city.

Sallick and Lasker of the Leach A. C. are requested to report at Twenty-second and Jane streets at 7 o'clock Wednesday evening.

The Perrysville Juniors would like to hear from some 12 and 13-year-old team. Write J. Miller, 1022 Farmers Bank building, Pittsburgh.

The Carson manager desires to hear from the Hilldales for a game on Saturday night. Address Charles McCullough, 2610 Sarah street, South Side.

The Marquette team desires games for December 3 and 10. Address Manager, Marquette club, 4224 Second avenue, city, or call at 144 Wood.

The Perrysvilles will play the Primrose Five this evening on Perrysville floor. The Perrysville second team will play a preliminary with the Brightons.

The Marquette Reserves will play the McKees Rocks team next Saturday evening. All junior teams desiring games should address Manager, Marquette club, 4224 Second avenue, city.

The Anteur A. A., composed of the following players, Bothwell, Boyd, Cumming, Harvey, McCray, Morton, Romsey and Thompson, would like to hear from good 15-year-old teams. Address J. M. Cumming, care H. C. Frick Coke Co., Pittsburgh.

IRVING HOCKEY TEAM CHAMPIONS OF DUQUESNE AMATEUR LEAGUE

Back Row—Chandler, Beegle, Stewart, Harmer, Schmidt. Front Row—R. Robinson, E. Robinson (Captain), Campbell, Myers.

THE FAVORITES FARED POORLY AT BENNINGS

Only One Public Choice Was First Under the Wire—It Was Great Day for the Books.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

BENNINGS, D. C., Nov. 28.—Only one favorite, Gamara, at odds-on, won in the six events at the Benning race course today. King Pepper at 15 to 1, in the handicap for 3-year-olds, won handily while Cloten, the favorite in a big field barely succeeded in landing place money from Mamie Worth. The largest field of the day was in the fourth race, in which 19 2-year-olds were entered. Chimney Sweep, who took the lead at the stretch, won in a driving finish with Festoon. The selling race for 3-year-olds and upward at a mile distance was won very easily by Andrew Mack, the least thought of of the four candidates. Jimmy Lane, with Shaw up, was one of the surprises of the day, taking the honors easily from Arsenal, with Palette, the odds-on favorite, finishing third from the last in the fifth race. Summaries:

First race, handicap, 3-year-olds and upward, 6½ furlongs, Columbia course—King Pepper, 104, J. Walsh, 15 to 1 and 6 to 1, won; Cloten, 126, Wonderly, 3 to 1 and even, second; Maude Worth, 115, T. Burns, 8 to 1 and 2½ to 1, third. Time, 1:21 4-5.

Second race, maidens, 2-year-olds, 6 furlongs, Columbia course—Cabin, 107, Shaw, 15 to 5 and 9 to 10, won; Odom, 4 to 5 and 1 to 3, second; Applaud, 110, Redfern, 3 to 1 and 3 to 5, third. Time, 1:15 1-5.

Third race, selling, 3-year-olds and upward, which had not won over three races in 1904, mile, Columbia course—Andrew Mack, 105, T. Burns, 6 to 1 and 6 to 5, won; Irish Witch, 109, Wonderly, 4 to 1 and even, second; Stolen Moments, 109, Shaw, even and 2 to 5, third. Time, 1:41 2-5.

Fourth race, selling, 3-year-olds and upward, 7 furlongs, Columbia course—Jimmy Lane, 110, Shaw, 10 to 1 and 3 to 1, won; Arsenal, 110, Oliphant, 15 to 1 and 4 to 1, second; Blue and Orange, 105, Lee, 20 to 1 and 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:29.

Sixth race, handicap, 2-year-olds and upward, 1 1-16 miles, old course—Gamara, 95, Lee, 9 to 10 and 1 to 3, won; Gold Fleur, 91, Sperling, 7 to 1 and 8 to 5, second; Thespian, 111, Redfern, 3½ to 1 and 4 to 5, third. Time, 1:49 2-5.

EAST PITTSBURGH'S VICTORY.

Toon Two Out of Three Games from Millvale—St. Cecilia Also Won.

East Pittsburgh took two out of three games from Millvale last night at Millvale, Millvale winning the second game only. East Pittsburgh took the first game by 83 and the last by 100 pins. Loos had high score of 215 and high average of 193. Scores:

Millvale—			
Houlahen	180	181	178
Jackson	127	....	....
Shaw	....	194	121
Viard	145	190	172
Meyers	167	150	166
J. Houlahen	139	158	121
Totals	758	873	758
East Pittsburgh—			
Fisher	159	205	178
Burns	147	145	130
Wolf	162	186	161
Loos	215	156	214
Votel	160	160	183
Totals	843	852	866

The St. Cecilia Library team defeated the All-Stars three straight games by big scores. Frank Walling made high score of 234 and high average of 196 2-3. Teams wishing games address Joseph Hentz, 1935 Brownsville road, South Side. Scores:

Cecilia—			
Woolman	190	213	183
Mathews	114	199	209
Hentz	163	127	198
Wise	171	168	154
Walling	196	234	186
Totals	828	941	910
All-Stars—			
Smith	122	169	187
Rye	124	99	112
Phillip	157	161	161
Murphy	110	134	177
Riley	97	107	105
Totals	610	670	738

LOOKING FOR M'CLELLAND.

Pittsburgh Boy Wanted in St. Louis to Fight Abe Attell.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—There will be no bout at the West End club Thursday night. Instead, several bouts will be put on Saturday evening. Charley Haughton has several matches under consideration, but so far has not clinched any of them.

Jack McClelland, the Pittsburgh fighter, is expected to arrive Monday or Tuesday. McClelland may be matched with Abe Attell. McClelland was given the decision over Attell the last time the pair met at the West End club, and Abe has been anxious to get a return match ever since.

Senator Dave Nelson will referee the bouts at the West End club next Saturday. Manager Haughton states that no physicians will be allowed in the ring until the referee has handed down his decision. The referee will be at liberty to call a half dozen physicians into the ring after he has rendered his decision, if he wants to.

GOES BACK TO OWNER.

Mr. Billings Wanted Locanda, but Was Outbid at Sale.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Several thousand spectators assembled in Madison Square garden tonight for the Old Glory horse sale and to witness the auction of Locanda, the holder of the world's race record at one and one-half miles, the holder of the stallion race record of 1904, and having a record of 2:06¾. Locanda was sold last May for $7,000 to L. M. Borden of Wallkill, N. Y. At the time of his sale he had a record of 2:06¾, but since then has reduced his record to 2:06¾. The bidding began at $2,000 and jumped by $100 bids to the $5,300 mark at which price Walter J. Snyder bought the stallion. Mr. Snyder was acting as agent, and it is believed that the horse will remain the property of Mr. Borden.

The contending bidder was Charles S. Tanner of Cleveland, superintendent for C. K. G. Billings, owner of Lou Dillon and Major Delmar. He bid to $5,200.

Hillsides vs. Mohawks.

Hillsides expect to close a good season as they have defeated some of the best teams in the 90-pound class. Hillside will play the Brushton-Mohawks at Friendship park on Saturday.

CLANCY BATTED WELL.

Pirates' New Man Among Best Hitters in Eastern League—Vinson the Leader.

The batting averages of the Eastern league players for the past season have just been made public and contain some interesting information for followers of the game. The leading batter was Vinson, who played left field for Cleveland in the post-season series with the Pirates. Vinson played 76 games for the Providence team and had a batting average of .360.

The averages show that Clancy, who will cover right field for the Pirates next season, and who was the leading batter of the Eastern league for two seasons, is eighth on the list, having played 123 games with the Montreal team, and his average is .308. Grunshaw of Buffalo, who is slated to succeed George La Chance on first base for the Boston Americans, has an average of .325. Al Wagner, brother of Hans, who played 80 games with the Providence team, could only bat at .237. Ike Francis, the local boy formerly with Homestead, but who was with Toronto, had an average of .234, and Big Fred Falkenberg, the tall twirler who was tried but found wanting by the Pirates, hit at a .185 clip.

Phil Lewis, the local boy who was with Baltimore, but who will be with Brooklyn next season, has a .294 batting record in 123 games. At that he is two points ahead of his manager, Hughey Jennings, who could only do .292. Tom Stankard, the ex-Brown college player, who the Pirates allowed to depart, and who finished the season with the Jersey City team, playing in 14 games and having an average of .222.

TAKES MICHAEL'S PLACE.

Hugh MacLean Will Race Bobby Walthour Saturday.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—Hugh MacLean has been matched to race Bobby Walthour in the 15-mile paced race at Madison Square garden next Saturday night to take the place of the late Jimmy Michael, who was to have met him. MacLean is the best middle distance rider of America. Walthour is the champion of the world.

MacLean during the past season has shown himself wonderfully improved over his form of the summer of 1903. The ease with which he has won all races has won him a host of followers who are willing to back him against Walthour.

HOCKEY JAUNT AT $10,000 FROM YUKON TO MONTREAL

MONTREAL, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—All speculations about the coming of the Yukon Hockey clubs can be set aside, as it has been finally decided at Dawson to play the winner for the cup of the Stanley cup. The following telegram was received over the 3,000 miles of copper wire and 1,500 miles of other wire that connects Dawson City with Montreal:

"It has been finally decided that the Klondike hockey team will leave Dawson on December 20. We will give ourselves 18 days to make the trip, so that we will arrive in Ottawa on January 9. The citizens of the Yukon have guaranteed all expenses."

The sender of the telegram is "Weldy" Young, one of the fastest, most daring and trickiest of hockey players in this part of the country some years ago.

The trip will cost $10,000 and the distance from Dawson to White Horse, 350 miles, will be made on foot.

Local Boxers in Lively Bouts.

Tonight at the Business Men's gymnasium of Fifth avenue some fine boxing bouts have been arranged, special care being taken that only the best local talent will appear. Frank Morgan will meet Charley Gerwig of Allegheny in the wind-up of six rounds. In addition to this there will be at least six other contests. Skipper Pursell will meet Patsy Brannigan for the 90-pound championship. Joe Alton, the 120-pound boxer, will meet Cliff Mason. Tommy Trimble and Frank Walling will meet to decide who is the best at the weight on the South Side. The Connolly brothers will be on hand to meet any one of their weight. Billy Carey and Billy James, both from the hill, will meet for the first time, while Bart Connolly, Young Mike Young, Fearey, Mike Madden, Jim Clark and Basty, the newsboy champion, will be on hand.

Referee Davis Gives Decision.

Referee Davis of the Sycamore-Crescent football game which broke up in a dispute Saturday, last night said he had given the game to the Sycamores. The Crescents tried to ring in a man before the second half whom I disqualified before the game started, and when the Sycamores refused to allow him to play, and as his name was not on the list of eligible contestants, I therefore gave the Sycamores the decision," said Davis.

"Wid" Conroy Is Married.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—"Wid" Conroy, the popular third baseman of the New York Americans, was married on Thanksgiving day at Laurel, N. J., to Miss May H. Carey of Laurel. Willie Keeler, Danny Green and Billy Gilbert attended the wedding. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father McArdle, a cousin of the bridegroom.

Another Post-Season Game.

The Athletics of Wilkinsburg, not being able to arrange a game with the Lowell Seconds or Pequot Second teams, will play the Alma Tigers, a team which has defeated Pequot, and Pequot defeated Lowell H. for the 75-pound championship. The game will be played next Saturday at Wilkinsburg. The Athletics have been coached by H. Hartman and they have not been scored on. They have rolled up 101 points.

May Organize College Five.

WASHINGTON, PA., Nov. 28.—(Special.)—In all probability Washington and Jefferson will this year maintain an all-college basketball team. The students are clamoring for it. For several years class teams have been maintained, the contests being simply for the interclass premiership. It is planned to organize the class teams and at the close of the regular season pick the best players for a representative college five and schedule games with the best teams in this section. The basketball season here will open immediately after the Christmas recess.

Michael's Remains Will Be Buried Here.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—The remains of the late Jimmy Michael, the Welsh bicycle rider who died suddenly a week ago on board the steamship La Savoie, will be interred in Greenwood cemetery tomorrow. In accordance with the cabled request of the mother of the deceased, P. T. Powers today made arrangements for the burial of the body in this country.

Challenge to Junior Teams.

The Keystone Independents challenge all junior association football teams for games on their grounds. Address Clarence Knox, Turtle Creek, Pa.

RUBE WADDELL UMPIRES GAME AT RALEIGH HALL.

Accompanies Evans City Passers Who Are Beaten by Manchester Outfit 42 to 0.

The Evans City basketball team landed in Raleigh hall last night accompanied by a band of rooters and headed by Rube Waddell. Rube came with the team to see that it got fair treatment in the way of officiating and he acted as umpire. But he had little work to do as Referee Bob Kelley gave full satisfaction to both teams, and the Evans City boys congratulated him after the game for his good work.

Manchester won, 42 to 20.

Waddell came in for a large share of the spectators' attention during the game, and the boys on the stage kept up a constant "What's the matter with Rube?" The game was a pretty exhibition, both sides displaying considerable team work. There was little or no unnecessary roughness. Following is the lineup and score:

Manchester—42.		Evans City—20.
Yeager, Patterson	R. F.	Mickley
Kosik	L. F.	Wahl
Stehle, Matzkes	C.	Griesebach
Graham	R. G.	Evans
Burry	L. G.	Bernecker

Goals from field—Patterson 5, Stehle 5, Yeager 4, Koch 3, Burry, Graham, Mickley 4, Wahl, Griesbach, Evans 2. Goals from foul—Graham 4, Mickley 4. Fouls called—On Manchester 8, on Evans City 8. Referee—Kelley. Umpire—Waddell. Scorer—H. Roth.

The Manchester Juniors defeated the Fowler A. C. in a preliminary, 51 to 24. Lineup:

Manchester Jrs.—51.		Fowler A. C.—24.
Graham, Alton	R. F.	Young
Tannehill	L. F.	Meisel
King	C.	Butzler
Rimmel	R. G.	Kelley
Alton, Graham	L. G.	Heurling

Goals from field—Tannehill 8, King 7, Rimmel 6, Alton 4, Meisel 7, Young 3, Heurling 2. Goal from foul—Tannehill. Referee—Koch. Timer—D. Gottlieb. Scorer—F. Miller.

HAD A POOR SEASON.

John E. Madden's Turf Profits Were a Bit Shy But He Says His Turn Is Coming.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—John E. Madden took a flying return trip from Kentucky here yesterday. He arrived at the Bennings track at noon and at 3 o'clock he was headed back again for Kentucky. Madden came to arrange a plan of campaign for some of his horses for the winter at New Orleans and California under Tommy Griffin's charge. Talking of his season just closed, Madden said:

"I think this has been the toughest year I have had in a long while. I made $54,000 in stakes and bets and had two sales. Fly Back to E. R. Thomas for $17,000, and Britisher to John A. Drake for $12,000. I think I quit the season in the east about $15,000 net winner. I made $30,000 net the year previous. The best colt I have is Councilman, with Hot Shot a good prospect. It will be my turn next year to have some high class horses, and right now I can say I never felt more encouraged over a band of yearlings than I do over the lot I left at Hamburg Place."

Madden will bring over a hundred horses up from Kentucky next March to Bennings. He will whip the lot into shape here before striking the stiffer game at New York.

New Officers for Auto Club.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—At the annual meeting of the Automobile Club of America tonight the following officers were chosen for the coming year: President, David H. Morris; first vice president, Colgate Hoyt; second vice president, William K. Vanderbilt, Jr.; third vice president, Clarence Gray Dinsmore; treasurer, Samuel H. Valentine; three governors, to serve three years, James L. Breese, Melville D. Chapman, Harlan W. Whipple.

FLAHERTY SIGNS TO COACH BELOIT

Will Also Take Course of Study. Harry Pulliam Talks About the Ball Players.

ARE MANY COLLEGE EXPERTS

A telegram from Beloit, Wis., announces that Patsy Flaherty, the popular little left-handed pitcher of the Pirates, has accepted the position of coach of the Beloit college baseball players and will take up his duties shortly after the first of the year. The special states that Flaherty will not only coach but will take up a course of study. In the meantime Patsy has not been idle, but has taken up golf in order to keep himself in good physical trim and can be found on the Thornburg links most any day, and he is said to have become quite an expert at the ancient Scottish game.

Harry Pulliam is authority for the statement that with each successive season the character of the men who play the national game shows a standard of improvement and he points to the number of college men who have taken to baseball. This includes such well-known players at Clarence Beaumont and Mike Lynch of the Pirates, Dave Fultz and Walter Clarkson of the New York Americans, Roy Thomas of Philadelphia, Fred Tenney of Boston and many others.

In an interview Pulliam says: "A better grade of men are playing baseball than there used to be and there are many reasons for it. For one thing, the pay is good, and many young men are picking out baseball as something that not only offers a profitable career in itself while it lasts, but that will earn the means whereby they can prepare the way for a professional or business career after they get through on the diamond. They find baseball a good stepping stone, in the six months that they are not playing ball they can be learning their future business, or, if they have a business already, devote their time to it in the off season.

"With an average of over $100 a week for playing ball, and expenses paid half of the time in season, the player has a good opportunity to save his money. Nor are ball players' wages affected by hard times. I recall distinctly a number of years ago, when times were hard and all the big business firms were cutting salaries, ball players' salaries were not cut a penny. You see, hard times do not affect baseball. The prices of admission are cheap, and the game is a recreation and a tonic to which business men turn even in hard times.

"As for the class of men engaged to play the game, it may be worth while to point out that they put up at the best hotels and are welcome there. And you will find that they hold up their end in either behavior or conversation. Their hours are good, they are well behaved and intelligent."

PLUNGED ON HOMESTEAD.

Was Played for a Good Thing and Proved the Right Tip.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 28.—Gregor K., Au Revoir and Astarita, none of them hard pushed, were the winning favorites today. Homestead, winner of the fifth race, carried considerable money. Summary:

First race, 6 furlongs—Fiasco, 107, Robbins, 6 to 1, won; Rockaway, 103, Rice, 10 to 1, second; Cataline, 104, J. Martin, 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:15 1-5.

Second race, 1 1-16 miles—Gregor K., 104, J. McIntyre, 11 to 20, won; The Regent, 104, H. Phillips, 6 to 1, second; Dan McKenna, 102, Nicol, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:47 3-5.

Third race, 1 mile—Au Revoir, 100, Nicol, 1 to 3, won; Miss Betty, 100, L. Williams, 5 to 1, second; Mizzen, 103, H. Phillips, 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:41.

Fourth race, 1 furlongs—Cardinal Wolsey, 109, Nicol, 7 to 2, won; Federal, 104, Crimmins, 9 to 5, second; Burning Glass, 109, H. Phillips, 7 to 2, third. Time, 1:27 1-5.

Fifth race, 1⅛ miles—Homestead, 118, Schilling, 4 to 1, won; Annora J., 104, S. Dickson, 40 to 1, second; Brooklyn, 112, Seamster, 6 to 1, third. Time, 55 3-5.

Sixth race, 6 furlongs—Astarita, 108, H. Phillips, 7 to 5, won; Josette, 107, Hothersoll, 10 to 1, second; Sylvia Talbot, 107, J. McIntyre, 5 to 2, third. Time, 1:13 1-5.

FIRST WARD WINS GAME FROM THE PEQUOT FIVE

The First Ward A. C. won from the Pequots last night at home, 37 to 10. The game was rather rough, both teams contributing to this feature. Kinney had the most field goals, followed by McGowan and Snyder. The line-up:

First Ward A. C.—37.		Pequots—10.
McGowan	Forward	M. Clayton
Snyder	Forward	Drane
Kinney	Center	N. Clayton
Curtin	Guard	Marshall
Surdick	Guard	Penrose

Field goals—Kinney 7, McGowan 5, Snyder 4, N. Clayton 3, Curtin 2, Surdick, M. Clayton, Penrose. Fouls—Kinney. Referee—Ike Lawrence.

The Last of Haggin's Stud Farm.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—From an authoritative source comes the report that J. B. Haggin has sold his vast California Rancho Del Paso grant of 44,000 acres. The terms of the deal are $50 per acre, $500,000 cash down and the balance in five years. Haggin reserving in the meantime 7,000 acres for his thousand or more stallions, brood mares, etc., until their final disposal. This means the end of the greatest thoroughbred stud farm in the world.

McDonald Buys Oakland Belle.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—At the horse sale at Madison Square Garden today D. G. McDonald of Pittsburgh added to his string by purchasing Oakland Belle, 2:23¼, blk. m. 8, by Oakland Baron-Alma Wilkes, by Baron Wilkes, paying $650.

WILKINSBURG H. S. PLAYS ITS FIRST GAME TONIGHT

Pittsburgh Makes Change in Line Up. The Latest News from Colleges and Schools.

The Wilkinsburg High school will play its first game in the Interscholastic Hockey league tonight. It will meet the Pittsburgh High school, one of the fastest sevens in the league.

Capt. Reisfar of Pittsburgh will make a change in his line up. He will put Harmer at cover point instead of Dowling. Harmer sat on the bench in the opening game and Reisfar desires to have him tried out. The game will start at 8:15 o'clock.

Paul J. Davis, right tackle, has been elected captain of the Dickinson football eleven for next year.

The University of Pennsylvania is to have a training house for its athletic teams on Franklin Field. Architects are now working on the plans.

Penn's football players are a versatile lot of athletes, as many of them compete in other sports than football. Stevenson, the star quarterback, is a baseball pitcher of some fame, and Drake, Kase, Bennis, and, possibly, Smith, will be found on the diamond next spring. Kase and Smith may also play basketball this winter. On the track, Greene will run in the hurdles and jump; Weede will jump, while Pickarski, Rooke and Smith will compete with the 16-pound hammer and shot. These men will all represent Penn throughout the winter and spring. Captain-elect Reynolds pitched on the varsity baseball nine two years ago.

Chicago will elect a football captain tonight. The leading candidates are Catlin, right half, and Kennedy, right end. Eckersall, the sensational quarterback, would get the honor were he older, but he is sure of it by his senior year.

Coach Stagg will leave Wednesday night for Mt. Clements, where he will stay three weeks and then go to Arizona to spend the winter. Fred Maloney will coach the track men and Harper the baseball candidates during his absence.

The fact that Carlisle played its coaches at St. Louis, and that Carlisle claims that nine out of eleven men of the Haskell team were professionals, precludes the possibility of another clash between the two Indian teams in St. Louis, or elsewhere, unless both teams change the present way of running the team. At least one of the Haskell players, Archiquette, was a professional coach at Carlisle school before coming west, and Manager Thompson of Carlisle charged that several of the other Haskell players were being paid for their services. He is positive in his statements that Carlisle will not play again under similar conditions. Haskell's claim that Carlisle played the coaches of the team is not disputed, but Carlisle claims that the coaches were not paid.

Carlisle will probably put into effect eligibility rules next season, but they will of necessity have to be liberal. Scholars are taken at Carlisle of any age, and there is nothing like the examination to which candidates for a university are subjected. On the other hand, there is but little chance of football players being stolen from other schools, for the simple reason that outside of Haskell there is no school from which they could be obtained. The Carlisle eligibility rules when put in force will relate mainly to the restriction on the number of years a player will be allowed to compete with the team.

GAS RENDERS CHOIR MEMBERS UNCONSCIOUS

ASHTABULA, O., Nov. 28.—(Special.)—While the choir of the West Prospect Street Presbyterian church were practicing for the anniversary day exercises of the church this morning nearly all the members became affected by escaping fumes of gas, several becoming unconscious. Among those most seriously affected were Mrs. William Bush, Miss Sarah Flint, Mrs. Calvin Bush, Sidney Bush and Vivian French. All are reported out of danger this evening. The anniversary services have been postponed.

JAPAN IS TIGHTENING HER GRIP ON KOREA

Begins Construction of Fortifications at Closed Port Despite Protests.

[Special Cable to The Gazette.]
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SEOUL, Nov. 24, by way of Shanghai, Nov. 28.—Japanese preparations against possible contingencies, and the determination of Japan to prevent the Russians from obtaining a foothold on Korean soil are evidenced by a report from the governor of Quelpart island, off the southwestern coast of Korea, asking instructions, and stating that a steamship load of Japanese workmen, with tools and machinery, were landed and immediately began the construction of fortifications.

The Korean foreign office announced that Quelpart is closed to alien residence, according to treaty stipulations, therefore it requests the Japanese government to withdraw its people.

November 21, an attache of the Japanese legation here began daily attendance at the palace councils, advising and instructing the Korean statesmen regarding the conduct of affairs. Yesterday Gen. Hazekawa sent an official dispatch to the Korean emperor, alleging the existence here of a pro-Russian party among the officials, and urging that immediate and comprehensive measures be taken for the removal of officials interested therein.

Coon Hollow Folks Will Appear.

A concert will be given in the Christian church of Bellevue, tomorrow night, by the church choir. An interesting part of the program will be a chart talk by Cartoonist Payne, the man who has made the Coon Hollow folks so popular in The Gazette.

Zidker Has Much to Answer for.

Samuel Zidker of Bellwood, neas Homestead charged with stealing a buggy and horse, desertion and non-support, and false pretense was arrested in Homestead yesterday by Detectives Frank Bell and John J. Cavanaugh.

CHAPMAN'S BODY JUST MISSED AMBASSADRESS

New Yorker Threw Himself or Fell Over to Lobby of London Hotel.

[Special Cable to The Gazette.]

LONDON, Nov. 29.—G. R. Chapman, a New Yorker, fell or threw himself over the balustrade of the fourth floor of the Carlton hotel last evening striking the marble floor of the loby near the entrance of the dining-room and narrowly missing Madame Gallardo, wife of the Mexican ambassador, who was about entering the dining-room. Porters quickly placed a screen around the New Yorker to hide him from the view of the fashionables who were arriving for dinner. Chapman was carried to his room and died two hours later.

Chapman arrived from New York Saturday night with a valet. He was not well and remained in his room all day and declined to see two Americans who called on him this afternoon. It is supposed that in a sudden frenzy of illness he rushed from his room and fell or threw himself over the balustrade. The body was removed to the Westminster mortuary early this morning after the fashionable supper throng left the hotel.

Will Receive Prize Trophy.

At the meeting of the volunteer firemen of McKees Rocks this evening former Chief Charles F. Engel will present the loving cup won by the racing team from McKees Rocks when it carried off the world's championship at Connellsville last August. The cup has been held back pending a decision on the protest entered by the Charleroi firemen. The matter has been decided finally in favor of the Allegheny county team.

Election Law Violations Charged.

HONOLULU, Nov. 28.—Presiding Judge Dole of the United States district court has summoned a special federal grand jury to investigate the charge made by Democratic leaders that in the last campaign certain election officers intimidated the voters, made improper use of identification marks and otherwise destroyed the secrecy of the ballot.

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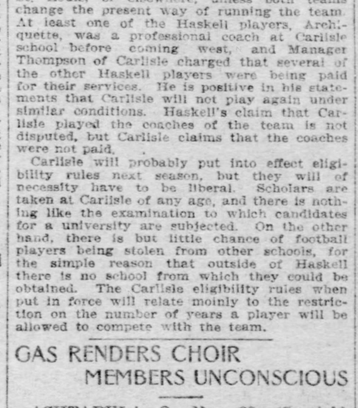

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ARMY ESTIMATES SHOW A DECREASE

Secretary of War Taft's Annual Report Submitted to the President.

MILITIA IN GOOD CONDITION

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—The annual report of Secretary Taft of the war department submitted to the president today contains the following:

On the 7th of December, 1903, the date of the last annual report, the army of the United States, according to the latest reports which had been received from the military departments (October 15, 1903), consisted of 3,801 officers and 55,569 enlisted men; a total of 59,183. In addition there were in the service 2,807 men of the hospital corps, excluded by the act of March 1, 1887, from classification as part of the enlisted force of the army. There were also in the service 26 officers and 520 men of the Porto Rico regiment, and 99 officers and 4,805 enlisted Philippine scouts.

At the date of the last reports received from the military departments (October 15, 1904), the actual strength of the regular army was 3,744 officers and 56,439 enlisted men.

The condition of the improvement of the various rivers and harbors and the extent of the work performed on them during the past fiscal year are set forth in full detail in the report of the chief of engineers. The total amount expended during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1904, from the appropriations of that year and from available balances of former appropriations is $21,576,914 85. This includes $36,220 83 for operating snag boats in the Ohio river. In addition $2,286,350 01 was expended for the work under the Mississippi river commission and $81,791 25 was expended for enlargement of Governors island in New York harbor.

Satisfactory Progress in Militia.

It is gratifying to be able to report that very satisfactory progress has been made toward bringing the organized militia of the several states and territories up to a condition equal to that of the regular army, respecting armament and equipment. Officers of both services have cheerfully and effectively cooperated in meeting the requirements of the new law, both in letter and in spirit, and their combined efforts to bring the militia up to the high standard of the army in discipline and instruction are meeting with excellent results.

Under the provisions of section 13 of the new militia law, magazine arms and equipments have been issued in sufficient numbers fully to arm the organized militia of each state and territory according to the strength existing at the date of the passage of the act—110,521 rifles and 5,623 carbines, a total of 116,144, having been issued to date—and amounts aggregating $336,893 59, representing the value of the arms which had been charged to various states and territories, have been placed to the credit of their respective allotments from the militia appropriation. In addition thereto a gratuitous issue of ammunition, caliber .30, has been made in exchange, round for round, for corresponding ammunition suitable to the obsolete arms replaced under the provisions of the act.

Under the appropriations which have so far been made for the manufacture of the new 3-inch field gun, it is proposed to furnish 26 complete batteries for the militia. The manufacture of the 3-inch field artillery material has progressed satisfactorily during the past year. Batteries for the militia will probably be ready for issue in the fall of 1905.

Expenditures Have Decreased.

The heads of bureaus in the war department, as in other departments, with a commendable zeal for the improvement of the service and the enlargement of its usefulness for their respective bureaus, have always taken a decided interest in securing adequate appropriations from congress. They have accordingly fallen into the habit of making too generous estimates, with the idea that the appropriations considerably less than the amounts estimated for.

A knowledge of this method of making estimates led you to call the attention of the heads of departments to it as an improper practice, and to direct that hereafter only the amounts actually needed should be estimated for. Your direction has been rigidly adhered to in the estimates for the present year for the war department. It is hoped that the appropriation committees of the two houses of congress will take this into consideration in their treatment of the estimates.

The estimates and expenditures have progressively decreased. The estimate for 1901 was, in round numbers, $128,000,000; for 1902, $113,500,000; for 1903, $98,800,000; for 1904, $77,560,000; for 1905, $77,700,000; for 1906, $72,700,000. Upon the estimate for $128,000,000 for 1901 the appropriations were $134,000,000 and the expenditures $105,750,000; upon the estimate for $113,500,000 for 1902, the appropriations were $116,000,000 and the expenditures $79,600,000; upon the estimate for $99,800,000 for 1903, the appropriations were $92,000,000, and the expenditures $70,000,000; upon the estimate for $77,900,000 for 1904, the appropriations were $78,400,000 and the expenditures $66,000,000.

The estimates presented last year for the support of the military establishment proper, involving chiefly things consumed during the year, were $655,000 less than the previous year's appropriations and $131,000 less than the previous year's estimates. The estimates presented this year for the support of the military establishment proper, involving chiefly things consumed during the year, are $4,960,006 33 less than last year's appropriations and $5,085,650 68 less than last year's estimates. On the other hand, we are asking congress for considerable increases in appropriations for investment in permanent plant, such as sites for fortifications and seacoast defenses, searchlights for harbor defenses, casemates, galleries, etc., for submarine mines, gun and mortar batteries, submarine mines, armament of fortifications, fortifications in insular possessions and coast artillery fire control installations. The aggregate increases of this character amount to $8,012,678 40.

It should be noted that the estimates, appropriations and expenditures of the war department include many items of a non-military character, some of them strictly civil, such as those relating to the improvement of rivers and harbors, the care and improvement of certain public buildings, grounds and national parks, the erection of monuments, and surveys of the great lakes.

Philippine Scouts Are Good Soldiers.

The Philippine scouts number now a little over 4,000 men. Half of these companies have been employed in connection with the native constabulary of the Philippine archipelago in the suppression of ladrones, and have rendered very efficient service. They are amenable to discipline, have a martial spirit, and make excellent soldiers. It is a wise policy by which there shall be maintained in the Philippine islands, as long as the United States remains in control of them, a small but well-trained Filipino army.

In the training of these soldiers, there should be no halfway measures. If they are to be made soldiers at all, they should be made good soldiers. They should be trained as the American soldiers are, with the same discipline and the same rifle practice; and they ought to have, and need, rather more than American soldiers do, a full complement of officers. There are now in the service two lieutenants to each company. Many of them have rendered praiseworthy service and are entitled to promotion. It seems to me wise, therefore, to create the office of captain in these companies, not for life, but for a term of four years, and to limit the eligibles for appointment to those who are lieutenants in the scouts. The law now provides for the appointment of majors from the regular line to command battalions, of which there would be, if the force were formed into battalions, 13.

It is quite reasonable to suppose that as conditions grow better in the Philippines, after the disastrous effect of the cholera and the rinderpest and the war shall be mitigated, the force of the constabulary will be ample to maintain order without the use of the scouts. In the meantime the present arrangement should be continued.

NEW WABASH LINE WILL NOT PASS THROUGH WAYNESBURG

Coal Land Optioned About Carmichaels Through Which Road is Likely to Be Built.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, PA., Nov. 28.—Men closely connected with the movements of the Wabash railroad are authority for the statement that the proposed Greene county line will not touch Waynesburg. Movements of Wabash officials coupled with recent coal deals in Greene county are said to strengthen this belief.

It became known positively today that agents of the Wabash company on Saturday optioned many thousands of acres of coal land in Cumberland township, Greene county, from J. V. Thompson, the coal land owner of Uniontown. This step means the Wabash will build their Greene county line through this coal tract.

It is asserted to be the intention of the railroad company to extend the present West Side belt line through Carmichaels and the eastern section of Greene county to Fairmont, where connections will be made with the Western Maryland road which the Goulds already own. Carmichael is in the center of the recently optioned coal tract and will be the objective point of coming coal operations in Greene county.

Russian Artillerymen Dragging a Gun Into Position During the Engagement at Yan-Tse-Ling.

GOV.-ELECT ADAMS PREPARES TO STAY

Colorado's New Executive Does Not Take Seriously Threats of Republicans.

WOMEN ARE UNDER ARREST

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

DENVER, Nov. 28.—Governor-Elect Alva Adams came to Denver from his home in Pueblo today, and will remain until after the banquet to be given in his honor tomorrow night. He does not take seriously the threat of the Republicans to prevent his accession to the governship, and has rented a house for the two years of his term.

Mr. Adams expressed the opinion today that Gov. Peabody, after an investigation of the election returns, would reach the conclusion he was not the people's choice for governor, and would gracefully retire.

It is announced Gov. Peabody will appoint two additional justices of the supreme court, irrespective of whether he hold office the next term. Under the constitutional amendment adopted at the recent election the court of appeals and the supreme court will consolidate April 5, 1905, and two of the seven provided for are to be named by the governor.

The canvass of the votes in Denver and Pueblo counties has not been completed, but from the unofficial returns it appears the Democrats will control the senate by a majority of two or three.

Women Are Implicated.

Mrs. Rosa Snyder was arrested today on warrants charging her with buying votes at the late election. Lizzie Cummings and other women have made affidavits that Mrs. Snyder gave them $5 each to vote the Republican ticket. Mrs. Snyder is a complainant in one of the cases against Democrats arrested on warrants issued by United States Commissioner Capron, charging conspiracy to intimidate voters in violation of a federal statute.

The cases came up in Commissioner Capron's court today, but the hearings were postponed, although George Alton Smith, attorney for the defendant demanded an immediate trial, declaring "these suits were brought simply for political purposes and not for purposes of justice."

The hearing in the Las Animas county election cases was held in the supreme court chambers. The Democrats filed a petition asking for a writ of prohibition, restraining Judge Northcutt of the district court, from interfering with the mandamus order of Judge Means of the county court, which ordered the board of canvassers to throw out the returns of the Primero precinct.

The Democrats say the Republicans moved the polling place inside the grounds of the Victor Fuel Company, where no outsider was allowed to go. There were 473 votes cast in the polling places inside the grounds, while only nine were cast at the places designated by the county commissioners.

Snarled Up in the Courts.

Judge Means issued a writ of mandamus, compelling the board of canvassers to ignore the returns from the precinct. The Republicans then applied to Judge Northcutt for a writ of prohibition against the county court. Then the Democrats appealed to the supreme court to help them out of the difficulty. Robert Yeomans opposed the application, and said the suit in the county court was brought in collusion. He asked the court either to restrain the county court from interfering with the canvass of the returns, on the ground that it had no jurisdiction, or else assume jurisdiction itself under its original order issued before election. The court took the petition under advisement.

Alleged election frauds in Huerfano county are also to be taken up in the supreme court on application of the Democrats, who today, through Attorney John G. Taylor filed affidavits charging violations of the court's election injunction, and asking that the offenders be cited for contempt, as in the Denver cases brought by the Republicans.

The court announced a hearing would be given after the Denver cases are disposed of.

ATTACKED MORMONISM.

Paper Read Before Methodist Clergymen Created Warm Discussion—Interesting Topics at Ministerial Meetings.

In a paper on "Mormonism and the National Government," Prof. Frank C. Lockwood of Allegheny college, Meadville, bitterly assailed Mormonism before the weekly meeting of Methodist Episcopal ministers yesterday morning. He read letters from Senator Frederick T. Dubois of Idaho, and the Rev. Dr. Paden of Salt Lake City, stating that plural marriages were still being contracted in Utah. Warm discussion followed in which Bishop C. C. McCabe took a part.

At the Presbyterian ministerial meeting a motion requiring the secretary to compile a directory of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny presbyteries was defeated. The Rev. Harry McCombs read a paper on "Christian Unity."

"Presbyterian Union—Is it Possible and Desirable?" was the subject of a paper read before the United Presbyterian pastors by the Rev. J. W. Griffen. He spoke favorably on the question.

A discussion of St. Paul's epistle to the Romans, by the Rev. A. M. Gregg, occupied the attention of Baptist clergymen while the Rev. Dr. Warren G. Partridge also spoke on "Modern Methods of Church Work." The Rev. Jerome M. Guss addressed the Lutheran clergymen on "The Confirmation Class."

SOUTH IS NEAR BREAKING POINT

Georgia Diplomat Says the Industrial Section is Republican at Heart.

VOTERS' EDUCATIONAL TEST

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau.
Room 10, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 28.

"The south is on the point of breaking away from the Democratic party," is the assertion of Col. William L. Scroggs of Georgia, founder of the first Republican daily paper in the south, and for 22 years in the diplomatic service. Col. Scroggs urges that illiterate whites be barred from voting as well as illiterate negroes. This, he thinks, would go far toward settling the race issue.

"McKinley polled nearly 30,000 Democratic votes in Georgia and Roosevelt got a good vote there, too," said Col. Scroggs. "The industrial south is Republican at heart. It is for tariff and expansion. Georgia is the most prosperous state in the south with its cotton and iron, and Atlanta is a phenomenon among cities in the number of its small manufacturers. Business is good, but would be stimulated more if there were two good political parties in the south—one to watch the other.

"If there is objection to having negro domination, well and good. It has been the great bugaboo of the south, but I have never thought it such an impossible question. Let us have impartial, not universal, suffrage. If the negroes are to be disfranchised, adopt an educational or property qualification, and let the illiterate whites be barred, too. That would cut off 11 or 12 per cent of whites and 85 or 90 per cent of negroes.

"Even if such an arrangement would reduce southern representation, it would be better for the south to have in a state eight members of congress chosen by two political parties equally strong, than a dozen members chosen by a machine made up of officeholders only. The race issue has been a vexing question, but it will be settled, and settled by the south in its own way."

Col. Scroggs is one of the most notable of southern Republicans. He began preaching Republican doctrines in the south in 1866 as editor of the Atlanta New Era, although a southern man by birth. President Grant called him to the diplomatic service and he held numerous responsible posts, among them that of minister to Colombia for five years.

PROSPERITY IN THE AIR.

Army of Employes, Generally Women, Secure Work in Department Stores for Holiday Rush.

The advent of a prosperous season was apparent on every hand yesterday. About 2,000 women and girls who were idle last week, today have employment which will last at least until after Christmas. They have gone into the big department stores to help handle the holiday trade. Many business men are so sanguine of the situation that they say a large number of those who were employed yesterday will be kept even after the holiday rush is over. Within a week it is expected that at least 4,000 clerks will have been given employment, bringing the additional weekly pay roll up to about $20,000, most of which will be paid to females.

When the big department stores opened yesterday morning there were long lines of applicants at their doors. They were of all classes and conditions, many being of prosperous appearance. One store took on 100 girls in half an hour. A total of 2,000 employes were given work a short time ago when a large department store was opened. Another store is building an addition which will furnish work for 300 more, and 500 will be given employment when an addition to another establishment is completed.

Another Hunting Victim.

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 28.—Raymond Wilsey, a hotelkeeper, lies dead in a local hospital, as the result of an accidental shot from the gun of his younger brother Emil, while they were hunting last Sunday.

THREE VOTES FOR PEOPLE'S PARTY

That Was All Watson and Tibbles Got in the Keystone State.

ONE IN ALLEGHENY COUNTY

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau.
HARRISBURG, PA., Nov. 28.

Only three votes were cast in Pennsylvania at the last election for Watson and Tibbles, the Peoples party national ticket. Two of these were cast in Huntingdon county and the third in Allegheny county.

The Peoples party nominated no presidential electors in this state, which probably accounts for Watson's small vote. A few complimentary votes were cast for Wharton Barker of Philadelphia, P. B. Reynder of Erie, R. A. Thompson of Indiana and other prominent members of the Peoples party.

Complimentary votes were also cast for A. R. Thompson, J. H. Thompson and W. L. Thompson. These, it is thought by state department officials, were cast in mistake for R. A. Thompson. All told, 85 votes were cast for independent electors, 13 of which were polled in Bucks county for Alvin Clouser.

There is a difference of only 807 in the vote of 840,949 for Robert Pitcairn of Pittsburgh, whose name appeared at the top of the column of Republican electors, and that of J. Wilfred Holmes of Pittsburgh, the lowest Republican elector, whose name appears next to the bottom of this column. William McConway of Pittsburgh, whose name appears at the foot of the Republican column, ran 39 votes ahead of Holmes.

Nevin M. Wanner of York, the low man in the Democratic electoral column, whose name appears twentieth in the list, fell 334 behind the vote of 335,480 for Robert W. Irwin of Washington, whose name heads the column. Edmund Seidel, who leads the Socialist Labor column, ran 13 votes behind the high man, for whom 2,224 votes were cast.

The vote of 35,317 for Herbert T. Ames of Williamsport, whose name appeared the head of the Prohibition column of electors, is less than 100 in excess of the vote for the lowest elector in this column. The small difference in the votes of these various electors shows only a few voters made the mistake of placing their mark after the name of the first elector, instead of putting a mark in the party square at the top of the group.

The chief mistake made throughout the state by voters who desired to vote a straight ticket was in placing their mark in the square at the top of the party column, instead of in the party square on the left hand of the ballot, thereby voting only for the national ticket.

LAFFERTY CHOSE WARM SPOT IN WHICH TO SLUMBER

Michael Lafferty, a tramp, in search of a warm place to sleep Sunday night, wandered unobserved into the Homestead steel works and crawled under the hot beds in one of the plate mills, where he managed to sleep for several hours before being discovered. How Lafferty managed to escape being cremated is a mystery to the employes of the mill, as hot steel is constantly falling from the tables.

Congregaton to Burn Mortgage.

The congregation of the Oakmont Methodist Episcopal church will celebrate the burning of their mortgage, representing all debts against the congregation, with special services next Friday night. Addresses will be made by Presiding Elder James Meechem, D. D., and the Rev. Dr. W. H. W. Rees. A proposition will be made during the meeting to purchase ground for the erection of a new parsonage.

To Honor the Rev. Dr. Dunlop Moore.

Presbyterian ministers will celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of the admission into the ministry of the Rev. Dr. Dunlop Moore next Monday, with a banquet in old Grace Reform church, following the regular ministerial meeting. Dr. Moore is the oldest Presbyterian clergyman in the local presbytery. Among the speakers at the banquet will be Dr. Moore, the Rev. Dr. William L. McEwan and the Rev. Dr. D. S. Kennedy.

GEN. KUROPATKIN HAS DEVIL WAGON

"I Have Advantage of Shafter," He Comments as He Tries His Auto.

LIVES IN HIS RAILROAD CAR

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

CHEFOO, Nov. 28.—Gen. Kuropatkin is the possessor of a new 20-horse power automobile with which he is able to rush at high speed from one part to another of the line, 25 miles long, according to M. Ravoir, who reached here today from Mukden. M. Ravoir spent three weeks with Kuropatkin, who wished to secure 20 automobiles specially constructed to carry ammunition speedily in emergencies. He will only use them in winter when the Manchurian roads are in excellent condition.

On his first trip in the new automobile Kuropatkin's only comment was: "I have the advantage of Gen. Shafter."

The Chinese now regard Kuropatkin and his machine with superstitious awe, believing the latter to be an atrociously powerful specimen of the "foreign devil."

M. Ravoir said: "The two armies lie facing each other, each having three fortified lines. The soldiers of both armies live mostly in caves, behind their trenches, which when covered with snow have the appearance of a great host of polar bears waiting to spring at each other. The caves are warm even without fire.

The Russian forces now number 300,000 men. The cavalrymen from the Don district are superior to their Siberian comrades. The former are intelligent, brave and active, and have fine, powerful horses.

"There are only a few hundred wounded at Mukden, and 30,000 wounded at Harbin.

"I came out on the Siberian railroad, which seemed to be doing its tremendous work smoothly. The warehouses along the railroad between Mukden and Harbin are full of supplies which are almost untouched, as up to the present the army has subsisted chiefly on the country.

"The handling of the Russian artillery is improving, while the Japanese artillery fire seems less effective. Originally the Russians did not conceal their artillery, which the Japanese quickly disabled. Now the Russians handle and conceal their guns with perfect science.

"Gen. Kuropatkin is not talkative. His only reference to the war was: 'The war is progressing as I wish.' He still lives in his railroad car, and the light in his office is burning night and day. It is commonly stated that the general never sleeps. His officers are not surprised at being called to a conference at any hour of the night.

"The general's only relaxation is at dinner time when the officers who are his guests number scores. Wine is plentiful, but Kuropatkin drinks mineral water. Every Russian officer sems to have an unlimited supply of money, the government being lavish in its expenditure."

"Via Europe and Africa to Moab."

"Via Europe and Africa to Moab," will be the subject of a lecture to be delivered by the Rev. S. Edward Young, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church, in the hall of Post 3, G. A. R., 316 Fifth avenue, this evening. The lecture will be illustrated with stereopticon views. Davis camp of the Sons of Veterans will be in charge of the exercises.

Cold Increases Readers.

Owing to the cold weather a considerable increase in attendance is reported at the Pittsburgh Carnegie library and the branch libraries. Several important improvements have been made at the Lawrenceville branch. The marble stairway at the main library has been removed and a temporary passageway to the loan department has been built.

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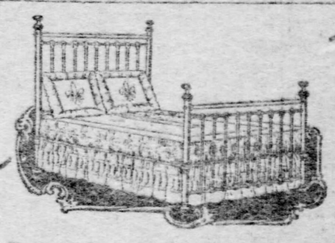

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John Henry Jahn, erstwhile real estate dealer, politician and expert litigant, convicted of numerous crimes, including forgery, false pretense, embezzlement and assault and battery, will have to serve only six months in the Allegheny county jail.

Incidentally sentence was suspended in two cases and a new trial granted in the case brought by Mrs. Eveline N. Schopfer, charging Jahn with embezzlement. Jahn was taken before Judge Evans yesterday, and Attorney John S. Robb, Sr., made motions for new trials. Judge Evans refused all these except one. In the Schopfer case Jahn was convicted of larceny by bailee, and the court held that the verdict was not in accordance with the evidence.

Following the action on these motions Mr. Robb made a plea for mercy for his client, alleging that Jahn was a victim of circumstances. Jahn also made a plea, asserting his innocence and expressing forbearance toward Attorneys C. A. O'Brien and William M. Price, who prosecuted the cases against him. Sentence was pronounced as follows: For assault and battery on his sister-in-law, Barbara Wigley, 30 days to the workhouse; for embezzling $500 from Margaret Spence, fined $50 and sentenced two months to the workhouse; for forging John J. Miller's name to a deed, three months to the workhouse. In the forgery case brought by Dora Asselmeyer, in which conviction was on a minor count, and in the case of false pretense, where Jahn was convicted of securing $250 from J. S. Lenhart by misrepresentations about a poolroom, sentence was suspended. Jahn objected to going to the workhouse as his family lives at Hoboken, which is nearby, so the sentences were changed to the county jail. He was taken back to the jail weeping bitterly. There are more indictments against Jahn, but it is expected that they will be not pressed.

Mrs. Mary Frauenheim's Will.

The will of the late Mrs. Mary Frauenheim was filed for probate yesterday, and letters testamentary were granted to Edward J. and A. A. Frauenheim, named in the will as executors.

The following bequests are made by the testatrix: Alfonse Meyer, a brother, $5,000; Mother M. Evangelina of the sisters of Notre Dame, $5,000; Rose Meyer, a niece, $5,000; Joseph Meyer, a nephew, $1,000; Edward Meyer, a nephew, $1,000; Mary Meyer, a sister-in-law, $1,000; Cornelius J. Rahe, a nephew, $500; Florence Rahe, a nephew, $300; St. Augustine's church, $1,000; St. Philomena's church $500, and Holy Trinity church, $500.

The balance of the estate is divided into seven parts, each child, Edward J. Frauenheim, August A. Frauenheim, Rose Frauenheim, Mrs. William A. Hey, Mrs. John J. O'Reilly and Miss W. N. Epping, to receive one part, and the other part to be given to Mrs. Catherine Frauenheim and her children, a widow of a son of the testatrix. The value of the estate is not given.

The late Martha H. Bigg of this city left an estate of $161,000 to her brother-in-law, Robert Pitcairn. The testatrix says the will is made in this way on account of the kindnesses shown her by Mr. Pitcairn in taking care of her and advancing her moneys at different times.

Judge Frazer decided the objection made to the seal of the county commissioners, used for many years in acknowledging documents, was without merit. The decision is made on the exception filed by Attorney Morton Hunter for Caroline F. Smith, whose property is being condemned for the addition to the jail. The claim was made that the seal used on the bond was not in accordance with the act of 1834, which requires each county to adopt a seal. Judge Frazer calls attention to the fact that the law does not specify a special design for the seals, and it is lawful for the commissioners to select their own design. The exceptions of Mrs. Smith to the bond are overruled.

Justice Miller of Homestead Reversed.

Before Judge Evans the decision of Justice J. C. Miller of Homestead was reversed in the case of the borough of Homestead against Peter Apolis, an Italian. The defendant was fined $5 and costs for disorderly conduct, it being alleged that he called another Italian a rascal and a goose while at Duquesne. When the court was handed the papers in the case he noticed that the transcript read: "Borough of Homestead against Peter Apolis." He then said that Homestead was not the proper plaintiff in a disorderly conduct case, and immediately reversed the decision of the justice.

Another decision was made by the court when he sustained an appeal from the summary conviction of 22 Hungarians of Homestead, who were fined about $7 each by Justice Miller on a charge of disorderly conduct. The court decided the justice cannot tax costs on each of the defendants in the same suit. An order was made requiring the justice to refund the fines in all except one case. The court said that costs could not be taxed in 22 cases when there was only one trial. In a somewhat similar case, where Justice T. H. Kennedy of Wilmerding had made five cases out of one, the costs were ordered refunded.

In the appeal of a negro, which was not allowed, Judge Evans made it plain that every citizen who is out in the early hours of the morning, and is held up by an officer in proper uniform, must give an account of himself and tell who he is. His good character does not count for anything, as the policeman is not supposed to know anything about that. The negro was carrying a bucket of chop suey from a Chinese restaurant through Poplar alley at 2 a. m., and when stopped by an officer and asked to give an account of himself told the policeman it was none of his business.

The arguments for a new trial in the Home Development case will be heard in quarter sessions court Wednesday morning. The case was to have been argued before Judge Evans yesterday, but the attorneys were not ready, and by mutual agreement it was carried over.

Dispute Over a Steel Contract.

In the United States circuit court the case of the Buffalo Steel Company against Hubbard & Co. was on trial. The plaintiff is suing for damages for a breach of contract. It is alleged the two companies entered into a contract, whereby the plaintiff was to furnish several tons of steel plates. It is said that at the time of the deliveries the market price of steel was below the contract price, and the metal was refused by the defendant.

A suit for $20,000 was filed by H. J. S. Lewis, for use of D. Moxley, of Louisville, Ky., against Charles M. Reed of Erie. The plaintiff claims a note for $10,000 was received from Reed; that the note has matured, and payment has been refused.

The judges of each court yesterday signed an amendment to the rules regulating the examination of students for law practice, which provides that each applicant must pay a registration fee of $10 and $5 additional when making application for the examination for admission to the bar. The fund so created is to pay the expenses of the secretary of the board of examiners.

Libels in divorce were filed by Lunetia A. Thompson vs. James A. Thompson; Nanna McCulloch vs. John McCulloch, and Gotthold Charles Oinhausen vs. Fredericka Oinhausen, each alleging desertion.

A suit in equity was filed by F. J. Devlin against A. Dempster. The plaintiff avers that on July 15 last he made an agreement with Dempster for the purchase of all the unmined coal in a certain tract in North Versailles township. He claims the purchase price was $1,000, of which he paid $200, and now that he wants to pay the balance and secure a deed, Dempster refuses to accept the money.

Executions issued: Leon J. Loeb, trustee, vs. Henry Weitzel, $5,500; Standard Manufacturing Company vs. R. J. Steenson & Co., $229 74; Brown & Zortman vs. H. F. Bigelow, $283 50; S. B. Donaldson, trustee, estate of Thomas D. Gladden, vs. J. Henry Jahn, $2,784 58; John D. Stahl vs. W. J. Roland, $2,185 55.

Gas Shortage Closes Schools.

The pupils attending the Brashear school, Mt. Oliver district, were compelled to remain at home yesterday morning because of a scarcity of gas. It is stated that all last winter the schools were inconvenienced from the same cause. The directors of the school will meet Monday to try and devise some means for remedying the trouble.

Melba's Illness Postpones Concert.

Owing to Madame Melba having a severe cold, the concert which was to have been given by her at Pittsburgh Carnegie Music hall last night, was postponed. Money will be refunded on the presentation of tickets at Mellor's. Another date for Melba's appearance here will be arranged.

Entertainment Date Changed.

Because of the holiday season the monthly entertainment provided for members of the Y. M. C. A., usually held on the third Friday of the month, will next month be held on Friday, December 16, in Old City hall. The entertainment will be provided by the Southern Trio, Mart King, a story teller, Alton Packard, a cartoonist, and others.

Old Braddock Homestead to Become a Hospital

By a deal concluded last night, the old Mills homestead in Braddock avenue, near Fifth street, Braddock, has been secured for hospital purposes. At a meeting of a committee of the Ladies' Hospital association and another of the Braddock chamber of commerce at the Carnegie library, the Mills property was decided upon. The site is about 300 feet square and is improved with a 13-roomed mansion. The price agreed upon is $23,000.

The house was built by the late Isaac Mills, Sr., a former prominent resident of Braddock, and was sold by the Clay estate, Mrs. Rachael A. Clay, a daughter of Mr. Mills, having inherited it. The estate donated $2,000 toward the hospital fund. The Braddock Hospital association was formed about 13 years ago and the women members raised about $10,000 by giving bazars and tea parties.

Interest in the project lagged and the money was placed in the savings department maintained by the Carnegie Steel Company for its workmen. The principal and interest now amounts to about $13,000. Many donations have been promised by business men and residents of the borough. The naming of the hospital and the plans for remodeling the building will be decided on next week. The committees having the matter in charge were composed of George Hogg, Leo A. Katz, W. S. Heath, Dr. W. S. Morgan, George Moore, Mrs. Louise Donovan, Mrs. A. W. Schooley, Mrs. T. W. Kulp and Mrs. Thomas James.

PENROSE PARTY RETURNS HOME

Senator Learns State's Official Plurality for Mr. Roosevelt and Is Delighted.

SPEAKER WALTON IS AT WORK

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Press Building,
PHILADELPHIA, PA., Nov. 28.

Senator Boies Penrose, Congressman George A. Castor, Maj. Wesley R. Andrews, Speaker Harry F. Walton and Magistrate E. A. Devlin, who have been away from the city since the recent election, returned home this morning from St. Lucie, Fla., sunburned, as a result of their outing. Since leaving the city the pilgrims visited the world's fair at St. Louis, and went to New Orleans.

The senator only today learned of the state's official count, and was particularly delighted with the big plurality given to Roosevelt in Pennsylvania. During the latter part of the week both he and Mr. Castor will go to Washington for the reconvening of congress next Monday.

Speaker Walton at once returned to his home. This week he will begin the work of making up the committee appointments for the new house. He is assured of re-election to the speakership, and it is possible he will have no opposition, even from the few Democratic members.

Word was received from Lake Placid today that Insurance Commissioner I. W. Durham, accompanied by Register of Wills Joseph D. Klemmer, City Commissioner Jacob Wildemore and Thomas F. Durham, who are in the Adirondacks, will leave tomorrow morning for a short tour through Canada, as far as Montreal. According to the advices received, the commissioner will not return to the city until Saturday or Monday of next week.

THOUSANDS HAVE KIDNEY TROUBLE AND DON'T KNOW IT

To Prove what Swamp-Root, the Great Kidney Remedy, will do for YOU, Every Reader of The Pittsburgh Daily Gazette May Have a Sample Bottle Sent Free by Mail.

Weak and unhealthy kidneys are responsible for more sickness and suffering than any other disease, therefore, when through neglect or other causes, kidney trouble is permitted to continue, fatal results are sure to follow.

Your other organs may need attention—but your kidneys most, because they do most and need attention first.

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Jan. 11th, 1904.

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EDITORIAL NOTE—In order to prove the wonderful merits of Swamp-Root you may have a sample bottle and a book of valuable information, both sent absolutely free by mail. The book contains many of the thousands upon thousands of testimonial letters received from men and women cured. The value and success of Swamp-Root are so well known that our readers are advised to send for a sample bottle. In sending your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure to say you read this generous offer in The Pittsburgh Daily Gazette. The genuineness of this offer is guaranteed.

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If your water, when allowed to remain undisturbed in a glass or bottle for twenty-four hours, forms a sediment or settling or has a cloudy appearance, it is evidence that your kidneys and bladder need immediate attention.

Swamp-Root is pleasant to take and is for sale at drug stores the world over in bottles of two sizes and two prices—fifty cents and one dollar. Remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

Charles H. Egly Promoted to Be General Eastern Agent of Q. & C.

Charles A. Egly, commercial agent of the Queen & Crescent at Pittsburgh, and one of the best known railroad men of the Pittsburgh district, has been advanced by his company to the position of general eastern agent with headquarters at New York. The promotion is effective December 1, and Mr. Egly will leave Pittsburgh tomorrow evening to assume his new duties in the metropolis.

As a mark of the high esteem in which Mr. Egly is held by his Pittsburgh friends engaged in the same department of the railroad business, he was entertained at dinner last evening, and was presented with a handsome diamond scarf pin. The function was an entire surprise to the guest of honor, but was none the less gratifying to him as an evidence of the hearty good will of his mates in Pittsburgh.

Mr. Egly ranks as one of the veteran traffic men representing outside lines in this district. His first service with the Queen & Crescent was as clerk in the general freight offices at Cincinnati, in 1883. He rose steadily and in 1887 was made traveling freight agent with headquarters in Cincinnati. His territory was that belonging to the Cincinnati district lying east of the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton. This included Pittsburgh, and his first direct connection with the Pittsburgh district, therefore, dates from 1887. Much of his time in the past 17 years has been spent here and his acquaintance is of the broadest character. Pittsburgh as a point of freight origination for the Queen & Crescent grew steadily in importance, and in 1898 Mr. Egly opened here the office of commercial agent of the road, and has filled the position since that time. His success is evidenced by his present promotion to take charge of the entire eastern interests of the traffic department of the company.

The new commercial agent of the Queen & Crescent at Pittsburgh will be G. W. Benns, now traveling freight agent at Cincinnati. He comes to his new duties with many years' experience as a freight man, and is already well known among the railroad men of this district. He is expected in Pittsburgh today.

C. A. Egly.

Interested in Monorail Project.

Railroad officials throughout the world are deeply interested in the new rapid transit road which the American Monorail Company expects to have in operation in May next year. One hundred miles an hour is the speed promised between Baltimore and Washington. The right-of-way has been secured and the engineering work begun. It is estimated that the construction of a road, double track, will cost $28,000 a mile, which is a very marked reduction from the usual construction of interurban trolley lines. The fundamental principle of the monorail system lies in having the center of gravity of the car close to the weight-bearing rail upon which it runs. The speed is further increased by the use of ball bearings.

Exhibition for Railroad Congress.

The district commissioners have approved the general plan proposed for the establishment of the American railroad appliance exhibition, in connection with the International Railroad Congress which meets in Washington next May. The scheme is an extensive one and will require the action by congress and the approval of the war department and the District of Columbia. It is proposed to hold this exhibition of American railroad appliances in the interest of the extension of American trade to foreign markets. The exhibition will be held on a 10-acre site near the Washington monument, if the consent of the war department can be secured. The necessary permits for construction work were asked for from the Washington authorities last Saturday.

Anti-Pass Agreement Rules.

The anti-pass agreement signed by the Western Trunk Line committee is somewhat different from that in vogue. This year the agreement prohibits the issuance of free transportation to officers of stock yard companies; for 1905 the agreement makes provision for the issuance of free transportation to "not more than three" officers of stock yard companies. The rule concerning passes to men in charge of horses shipped by express, were made to read two instead of five attendants for each car. It was arranged that during 1905 there shall be sub-committees, which shall have jurisdiction over the issuance of passes in their respective districts, reporting to and being governed by the general executive committee.

Railroad Notes.

R. H. Stensell, traveling passenger agent of the Seaboard Air Line, has returned from a business trip east of the Mississippi.

John R. Pott, traveling passenger agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, has returned from an extended trip over his territory.

Work is being pushed on the proposed repair shops and round house of the Wabash at Rook station, near Greentree. They are expected to be completed by the last of this month.

Marion County, W. Va., Shows the Best Oil Returns Just Now

The best strike made in the lower southwest fields at the start of the week is in the fifth sand district, near Fairview, Marion county, W. Va. It is the South Penn Oil Company's test on the Andrew Conway farm and produced 265 barrels the first 24 hours after it was drilled into the sand. This and the district west of Mannington, in the same county, are the only two that are furnishing producers above the average in size. In the last-named district, Trees and Benedum's No. 1 on the J. L. Holden farm, north of developments, is drilling in the top of the sand and should come in a large producer.

In the Pine Grove extension, Wetzel county, the South Penn Oil Company's test on the Samuel Williams farm is through the sand and has a small show of oil and gas. In the same district the same company's test on the Marla Lay farm is in the Big Injun 80 feet and has developed a fair gas pressure; it is now fishing.

Southwest of the Littleton district, same county, McDermott & Co. have drilled an important test on the J. W. Showalter farm through the fourth sand and have nothing but a light gas pressure. This well makes the outlook for an extension to the southwest look anything but promising. In the same district the Philadelphia Company has given its No. 3 on the D. L. Anderson farm a shot, and it produced 100 barrels the ensuing 24 hours.

In the Smithfield district, E. E. Carnahan and H. L. Smith's second test on the L. F. Cain farm has increased its production to 100 barrels a day from the Big Injun sand. The Southern Oil Company and Greenlee's No. 1 on the S. P. McDougal farm is holding up at 50 barrels a day.

The Philadelphia Company has drilled its second test on the S. Kirkpatrick farm 140 feet into the Big Injun and has developed no oil nor gas. In the same district the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its No. 3 on the James Batson farm 10 feet into the Big Injun and has no oil nor gas. It is still drilling and has a show for a pay.

In the Salem district, Harrison county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its test on the G. H. Davis farm 14 feet into the Gordon and the hole has filled up 1,000 feet with fluid. It is still drilling and may get a second pay. In the same district the same company's test on the E. T. and J. Williams farm is due in the fifth sand.

West of Mannington, Marion county, the South Penn Company's No. 2 on the C. S. Pitzer farm is holding up at 232 barrels and J. E. Carnahan's No. 3 on the Isaac R. Efaw farm at 300 barrels a day. The Delmer Oil Company's No. 1 on the Hays farm is producing 250 barrels a day.

On Rowells run in the Yellow Creek district, Calhoun county, the Carter Oil Company has completed and shot its No. 7 on the Rebecca Curry farm and has a 25-barrel producer in the Berea grit. The same company gave its No. 11 on the same farm a shot and increased its production from 20 to 40 barrels a day.

In the same development the Guaranty Oil Company has completed its No. 3 on the Martha M. Sommers farm and has a 25-barrel producer in the Berea grit. The South Penn Oil Company's No. 3, 5 and 6 on the H. I. Jackson farm are holding up at 125, 100 and 120 barrels, respectively.

On the Ohio side, in the Rays Run district, Washington county, the American Oil Company and Gaffney have completed their No. 18 on the J. A. Hollestine farm and have a show for a five or six-barrel producer in the Big Injun. In the same district, Tibbens & Withington have drilled their No. 6 on the James Chapman farm through the Berea grit and found nothing. They had a small show of oil in the Big Injun and will shoot in that formation and get a small pumper.

In the Newport district A. Morrison & Co.'s No. 5 on the A. Friedal farm is holding up with a showing for a good pumper. They are drilling No. 6 on that farm and have the rig up for No. 7.

In the Chester Hill district, Morgan county, Ellis & Co. have completed Nos. 1 and 2 on the M. Williams farm and have a brace of small pumpers. The White Oil Company has completed its second test on the Amanda Sargent farm and have a show for a very light pumper.

In the Wolf Creek district, E. H. Jennings & Bros. have drilled in their No. 14 on the John Zumbro farm and have a show for a 25-barrel producer. Haler & Co. have drilled in their No. 16 on the Effie M. Burt farm and have a show for a good producer.

In the Bricker field, Harrison county, J. P. Cappeau & Co. have put their test on the J. L. Copeland farm to pumping and have an eight-barrel pumper. This test was formerly thought to be a failure.

In the Leetsdale district, Beaver county, Pa., Alford & Thompson have drilled their No. 7 on the Anna Hartling farm through the 100-foot and Boulder, and have a duster in both formations.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
Nov. 25-26	308,634	Nov. 25-26	141,132
Previously	1,966,534	Previously	1,754,034
Total	2,304,108	Total	1,895,166
Daily avg.	85,340	Daily avg.	72,737

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
Nov. 26-27	112,654	Nov. 25-26	120,978
Previously	1,708,043	Previously	1,523,286
Total	1,820,695	Total	1,644,269
Daily avg.	67,436	Daily avg.	68,245

The Oil Market.

The Standard quotes credit balances in the various fields as follows: Pensylvania, $1 00; Tiona, $1 75; Corning, $1 37; New Castle, $1 47; North Lima, $1 07; South Lima, $1 62; Indiana, $1 00; Somerset, $1 01; Raglan, 84; Canada, $1 54. The Producers and Refiners Oil Company quotes $1 00 for Pensylvania credit balances.

OIL CITY, Nov. 28.—Credit balances, $1 60; certificates, no bid. Shipments Pennsylvania, 114,342 barrels; average, 140,029 barrels; runs, 140,029 barrels; average, 69,662 barrels. Shipments Lima, 112,856 barrels; average, 68,440 barrels; runs, 120,973 barrels; average, 71,318 barrels.

TOLEDO, O., Nov. 28.—Oil—North Lima, $1 07; South Lima and Indiana, $1 02.

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COMING CONVENTION WILL BE AN IDEAL ONE

Business Men to Take Charge of Funds Solicited for Entertaining A. F. of L. Delegates.

The committee appointed by the Iron City Central Trades council to make arrangements for entertaining the American Federation of Labor convention to be held in Pittsburgh in November of next year, will meet Sunday to outline plans. The committee is in favor of Old City hall for the sessions, and one of the leading hotels for headquarters of the executive officers.

The principal matter to be taken up Sunday is the question of securing sufficient funds to warrant giving the visiting delegates an entertainment never excelled by any city where the A. F. of L. has convened. The plan under contemplation places the entertainment fund in the hands of the public and not to confine it to the labor officials.

It is the intention of the committee to have a committee of 15. Five of these to be appointed by Mayor Hays, two by the chamber of commerce, two by the Merchants and Manufacturers' association and six by the labor organizations. The five to be appointed by Mayor Hays shall be exclusively business men and not politicians. It is proposed to have this committee arrange plans to solicit money and deposit it in some bank which shall report daily the amount received from subscriptions.

This committee of 15 will not be expected to arrange for the entertainment, but merely to act as guarantors that money collected for entertainment will be properly handled. The program for the convention will not be decided upon until such time as the committee gains an idea of the interest business men will take in the convention.

The American Federation of Labor was organized in Pittsburgh 25 years ago next November, and the labor leaders will make the silver anniversary the best convention ever held. About 2,000 delegates attend the conventions, and more will be expected in Pittsburgh than have been present at any other convention on account of this being the silver anniversary.

In addition to the regular credential delegates, all officials of affiliated unions are entitled to a seat in the convention, although not permitted to vote. This privilege will swell the attendance to about 3,000 delegates. Many delegates will have their wives and daughters with them, which will further increase the number present.

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The contest will consist of a series of Thirty Illustrations, each one of which will represent a well-known English Proverb.

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Capital Prize		$ 250.00
Second "		100.00
2 Prizes	$50 Each	100.00
8 "	25 "	200.00
15 "	10 "	150.00
40 "	5 "	200.00
100 "	1 "	100.00
167 Prizes Aggregating		$1,100.00

Read the Conditions Carefully.

The conditions governing this contest follow. No answer which does not exactly conform to them will be considered.

All answers must be upon GAZETTE blanks, which will be printed with each Proverb Picture. Only one answer will be allowed on each blank.

ANSWERS MUST NOT BE SENT IN UNTIL THE CLOSE OF THE CONTEST. But all answers must be in The Gazette office within six days after the last Proverb Picture is printed.

The blank forms will be numbered and answers must be neatly arranged in numerical order by the contestants. At the close of the contest answers should be sent by mail, post paid, addressed to Manager Proverb Contest, THE GAZETTE, PITTSBURGH, PA., or they may be left in sealed envelopes at our Business Office, Wood Street and Oliver Avenue, addressed as above.

Do not send the pictures. SEND ONLY THE ANSWER BLANK. The blanks may be filled out in any legible way.

Contestants may send in as many sets of answers as they please, but each set must be in a different envelope. Each set will be treated separately. BUT NO CONTESTANT WILL BE AWARDED MORE THAN ONE PRIZE. Contestants may send in duplicate answers to the same Proverb Problem but they must be on separate blanks; that is, they may fill out two or more No. 1s or 2s, etc. These duplicates must be kept together in making up the sets of answers.

Contestants may secure assistance from any source. Everybody is eligible except employes of The Pittsburgh Gazette.

The manager of Proverb Contest distinctly reserves the right to make any change in or addition to these conditions that he may deem necessary for properly conducting the contest.

The thirty proverbs which will comprise the series have been selected from standard authorities and the list on which the prizes will be awarded has been sealed and placed in the care of Mr. H. C. McEldowney, President of The Union Trust Co., and will not be opened until the time arrives for awarding the prizes.

The proverbs selected for this contest are those in common use and will not be hard to solve, but be careful to get the correct wording and punctuation, and see that each word is spelled correctly. You will find this contest an education for old and young. Enter it at once.

ENTER THE CONTEST AT ONCE.

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SOCIETY

MANY social roads yesterday led to the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Drummond Chantler, in Fifth avenue, when the latter entertained with a large tea in honor of her sister, Mrs. Joseph W. Adams, and her mother-in-law, Mrs. Samuel Adams, both of New Bethlehem, Pa., who, with Mrs. Joseph Adams, are spending a fortnight in the city. The hours for the entertainment were divided, Mrs. Chantler's Allegheny and Sewickley friends being received from 2 until 4 o'clock, and her Pittsburgh friends from 4 until 6 o'clock. Although it was conducted very informally, it was a perfectly appointed affair, and one of the largest of the early season. The hostess and her two guests of honor received together, the former in an effective gown of blue shaded liberty silk, with a yoke of Isle of Wight point lace. Mrs. Joseph Adams appeared in an elaborate toilette of corn-colored taffeta, patterned after a picture of Marie Antoinette, which she had seen in Versailles during her recent trip abroad. Tiny jabots of lace were woven into the lace bertha. An imported gown of black taffeta was worn by Mrs. Samuel Adams.

The decorations were in keeping with the informality of the occasion, but were marked by exquisite taste. The soft light of many candles in the different rooms showed to advantage the flowers used. American Beauty roses in the drawing room contrasted strongly with the green of the walls and furniture. The punch bowl was placed in the vestibule, where the outer doors were closed for the day, the guests entering a side door. Smilax draped all the doors in the hall and poinsettia brightened the music room. The dining room decorations were especially effective. The center of a large bowl-shaped candelabra, having eight branches, was filled with lavendar orchids, lilies of the valley and farleynese fern. Each of the eight lights was shaded with pink and green bead fringe of a beautiful pattern and tulle of the same colors was used on the chandelier above. The table was uncovered save for the exquisite centerpiece of pointe de Venice lace.

Mrs. Joseph Adams has with her her two little sons, John and David, who, with Mrs. Chantler's four children, held a juvenile reception in the nursery upstairs. Mrs. Charles B. McLean and Miss Marion McLean will entertain for the two visitors and Mrs. Chantler on Thursday. It will be a luncheon at the Country club.

Informal Fall Entertainments.

Mrs. Bernard Wesley Lewis of Amberson avenue will entertain at cards on Wednesday afternoon of next week.

Miss Mary McCoy of Baum street gave a small and informal card party yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Clarence Stevens of Cincinnati, who is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Howard Hooker of Bidwell street.

Miss Helen Walters of Center avenue was hostess at an informal card party last evening.

Invitations have been issued by Mrs. William R. Stedel of North St. Clair street for a luncheon on Friday in honor of Mrs. C. C. Cowles, who is visiting in the city over the Schildecker-McCullough wedding tomorrow.

Mrs. Frank Semple Bissell of Penn avenue, Point Breeze, entertained informally at cards yesterday afternoon at her home.

An informal tea will be given by Mrs. Howard Morton of McPherson boulevard on Friday afternoon of this week.

Mrs. O. C. Lawrence of Cleveland, mother of the hostess, and Miss Jeannette Agnew of Canton will share the honors at a small tea which Mrs. John Fremont Shafer will give tomorrow afternoon at her home in South Negley avenue.

Unsually Interesting Meeting.

Members of the Colloquium club were given an unusual treat at their regular meeting yesterday at the home of Mrs. John Fremont Shafer, in South Negley avenue. Martin B. Leisser gave a delightful talk on "Modern Art," and Miss Anna Woodward discussed the pictures now hanging in the Carnegie art gallery. Miss Ida Smith spoke informally on the prize pictures of this exhibit and Miss Jeannette Agnew, Mrs. Shafer's house guest, told of her personal experience with several noted artists. Miss Agnew spends her winters in Canton, but during the summer is a member of the little colony of artists who gather on the Connecticut coast. It was there she met Robert Minor, who died last summer and whose unfinished work she has been chosen to complete, as her coloring is similar to his. With Meedag, the Dutch artist, Miss Agnew has been associated in Holland, and she also spoke of him yesterday. There was music to open and close the meeting, and tea was served by several of the younger members of the club.

To Represent Old Masterpieces.

A number of prominent society girls and women will take part in an art exhibition which is to be a feature of the annual bazar to be held in the chapel of Calvary Methodist Episcopal church, Beech street and Allegheny avenue, Allegheny, on the afternoon and evening of December 6. Pictures of famous old masters will be represented. Among those taking part will be Miss Helen Horne, Miss Eleanor DuFuy, Miss Amy DuFuy, Mrs. William Rittenhouse Kuhn and Miss Anna Bella McCoy. The affair is under the auspices of the Woman's Industrial society of the church, which numbers among its members Mrs. George L. McCoy, who has recently resigned her position as president, which she had held for 12 consecutive years; Mrs. William D. Hamilton, acting president; Mrs. Albert Horne, Mrs. M. J. Schoyer, Mrs. Edwin Earl, Mrs. Cyrus Clarke, Jr., Mrs. Charles Frisbee and Mrs. J. M. Thoburn.

Wedding Rehearsals Last Evening.

The rehearsal for the wedding of Miss Sarah Edna Weddle and Harry George Fleck took place last evening at the home of Miss Weddle's brother-in-law and sister, the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. David F. McGill, Chartiers street, Allegheny. The rehearsal was followed by an informal supper at which Miss Weddle presented her matrons of honor with enameled pins in the shape of 4-leaf clover set with pearls, while to her little flower girls she gave signet rings. Mr. Fleck gave pins to his best man and ushers, David Leslie Patterson, Robert McKinley, Frank Rodgers, James McClit and John Howard Calvert, the last of Media, Pa.

Miss May Isabel Schildecker of Rebecca street, East End, gave a dinner last evening for those who will be in attendance tomorrow at her wedding to Harvey McCullough. The dinner preceded the wedding rehearsal.

Dr. Lumholtz Will Lecture.

Invitations have been issued by the Academy of Science and Art for a lecture to be delivered by Dr. Carl Lumholtz, M. A., in the Pittsburgh Conservatory of Music on Thursday evening. The subject is "Cave Dwellers of Today of America." The first meeting of the biological section of the Academy of Science and Art will be held on Thursday evening, December 6, in the chorus room of Carnegie Institute. O. A. Peterson, vertebras paleontologist of the Carnegie museum, will present a paper on "Recent Discoveries on the Origin of Dacmonelix."

Sewickley Baptists to Hold Bazar.

Extensive preparations are being made for the bazar to be given under the auspices of the Sewickley Baptist church on Thursday afternoon and evening. Booths are being prepared and the following will be in charge: Ladies' Home Journal booth, Mrs. John O. Dryman; handkerchief booth, Mrs. W. B. Robison; common sense, Mrs. Stephen Handy; candy, Miss Katherine Kelley; fish pond, Ralph Hoover; cake, Mrs. Lyons; ice cream, Mrs. B. Morewood; coffee and chocolate, Mrs. Evans.

In Honor of Mrs. Tindle.

Miss Grace Aiken entertained at cards yesterday afternoon at her home in Amberson avenue. The affair was given to meet Mrs. James Robert Tindle, who was Miss Rebekah Page Knox before her marriage a short time ago, at which Miss Aiken was one of the guests. Domino whist was the game played by the guests.

Notes of the Clubs.

There will be a meeting of the public baths committee on Friday morning in the office of the Civic club in the Methodist Book building, Penn avenue.

The subject of the address to be delivered by Clinton Rodgers Woodruff at the annual meeting of the Civic club tomorrow evening is "Awakening America."

The annual meeting of the Western Pennsylvania branch of the Consumers' league will be held in the Twentieth Century club this afternoon. Tea will be served.

Miss Ida Smith gave a talk on the prize pictures in the Carnegie art galleries yesterday morning at the meeting of the current topics class of the Twentieth Century club.

A regular meeting of the joint committee of women's clubs for the summer playgrounds and vacation schools of Pittsburgh will be held on Thursday afternoon at the Twentieth Century club.

Only routine business was transacted yesterday afternoon at the meeting of the United States Daughters of 1812, in the Twentieth Century club. In the absence of the regent, Mrs. Robert T. Reinaman, who is not expected home from New York until tomorrow, the vice regent, Mrs. W. W. Wishart, presided.

At the regular meeting of the Woman's club of Sewickley tomorrow the afternoon will be given over to art and music. M. B. Leisser, principal of the school of design of the Pennsylvania College for Women, will talk on "Modern Art," and John S. Roberts of the Apollo club will read sketches of American composers.

Before a large audience in the auditorium of the new Bellevue clubhouse the Bellevue club last evening gave a musicale in which the performers were Miss Lillian M. Sarver, Miss M. Louise Cassidy, Louis H. Kennedy, Thomas Hutna and Harry S. Reiff. Readings were interspersed through the program by Miss Mabel T. Wright. The soloists were accompanied on the piano by Charles Wakefield Cadman and Frederick A. Eade. The entertainment was one of a series planned by the club.

Notes of Society.

The Twentieth Century Social club announces the second dance of the fall series for tomorrow evening.

Mrs. Simon Johnston of South Negley avenue, who is in Philadelphia, will return to her home in a few days.

Mrs. H. L. Cohen of Philadelphia is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Victor of Trent street, this city.

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Linen Cloths and Napkins, per set, $3.50, $5.00 to $10.00.
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Umbrellas, Gloria silk, $1.00 to $2.50.
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Defeated in His Divorce Suit, the Clergyman Sought to Slay Jurist Who Made the Adverse Decree.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 28.—The Rev. Isaac Selby of Australia, plaintiff in a damage suit, shot at Superior Judge Hebbard today, while the latter was on the bench. The bullet came within an inch of the judge's head, and lodged in the back of his chair. Selby was taken to the city prison charged with an attempt to commit murder.

Selby recently was sued for divorce. He conducted his own defense, but was unsuccessful, a decree against him being granted. Judge Hebbard, who issued the decree, was trying a case today when Selby arose from a seat in the court room and fired at the judge, who immediately rushed from the bench and grappled with his assailant, preventing him from firing another shot. Before being taken to his cell, Selby said:

"I shot at Judge Hebbard because that seems the only way for a man to get justice in this country. My only regret is that I seem to have bungled matters considerably. My intention was to kill, him, but I was a trifle nervous."

WOMEN LEARNED WHY THEY ARE ENTITLED TO VOTE

Three members of the Young Men's Oxford club of the South Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, Wilkinsburg, and three from the Men's league of the Calvary Lutheran church, Wilkinsburg, held a debate last night on the question of women's rights. The Oxford club had the affirmative and the Men's league the negative. The former won. The audience of 300 was chiefly composed of women who manifested a keen interest throughout.

May Declare Open Shop.

Capt. T. J. Hamilton of the Master Builders' association and C. F. Buente and E. J. Detrich of the Builders' Exchange league, left last night for New York where they will represent their organizations at a meeting of the Citizens Industrial alliance. It is expected the alliance will adopt a resolution declaring open shops. This action will be a severe blow to the labor organizations, and friction is likely to result.

Election Cost Spandau a Dinner.

An election bet was paid last night when Jacob Spandau gave a dinner to a number of his friends at the Colonial. He was confident that Herrick would defeat Higgins for governor of New York. About 12 people benefited by the bet.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

Conrad Bricker	Webster
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John L. Lutz	Verona
Joseph Smith	West Homestead
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Anthony Hines	Pittsburgh
Nellie Maloney	Pittsburgh
James A. Grant	Pittsburgh
Lucy T. Renton	Knoxville
George Kelley	Pittsburgh
Cora E. Burnley	Pittsburgh
Alexander Roy	Jeannette
Laura Douglass	Pittsburgh
Robert Johnson	Pittsburgh
Pearl Scales	Pittsburgh
John D. Collins	Wellsville, O.
Ethel J. Sanderlin	Pittsburgh
Clarence Bughan	Tarentum
Beulah Barrickman	Tarentum
Joseph Miller	Pittsburgh
Mary Gueather	Allegheny
John W. Buck	Pittsburgh
Lizzie Schwarm	Pittsburgh
Robert H. Heddrich	Knoxville
Mary Nickolls	Pittsburgh
Joseph St. Bailey	Pittsburgh
Edna L. Mynard	Pittsburgh

THE THREE RIVERS

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CINCINNATI, Nov. 28.—At 6 p. m. today the Ohio river at Cincinnati was 3.6 feet and falling. Weather clear and colder. Today's departure was Kanawha for Louisville. On account of the fast falling waters and the approaching cold weather rivermen are afraid that the river will be closed for months. If there is not a rise very soon a coal famine will threaten Cincinnati.

WHEELING—River 1 foot 4 inches and stationary. Cloudy and colder. No boats.

LOUISVILLE—River stationary, with 2.8 feet in the canal, one-tenth of a foot on the falls and 3 feet below the locks. Clear and cool.

POINT PLEASANT—River 1 foot and stationary. Weather cloudy and cold. No boats.

STEUBENVILLE—River 1 foot 4 inches and rising. Weather cloudy and cold.

PARKERSBURG—River 1.8 feet and falling. Weather clear and cold. No boats.

GREENSBORO—River 5 feet 5 inches and stationary. Weather fair and cold. Columbia down Tuesday and Hite up.

OIL CITY—River 5 inches and stationary. Weather clear and cold.

GALLIPOLIS—River 2 feet and stationary. Weather clear and cool.

WARREN—River frozen. Weather clear and cold.

COLD WEATHER STOPS WORK.

River Improvements Will Wait for Next Season for Completion.

The stage of water at Davis island dam at 9 o'clock last night was 1.9 feet and the river was stationary.

Cold weather has stopped much of the work on river improvements and but little more will be done until next season. The rivers were frozen over in many places yesterday morning and work which necessitates the men wading in the water will all have to be suspended. The Dravo Contracting Company is doing some excavating at Lock No. 2, and will keep it up as long as the river is open, but all other work on the new dam has been stopped.

Harbor No. 25 entertained a committee from the Marine Engineers' association yesterday morning and also initiated new members, among them W. P. Buttonfield, son of Capt. John Buttonfield. The pilots and the engineers propose to work together for certain improvements which they desire made in river matters.

The Harvester, which is lying in the Ohio opposite Sewickley, has been entirely repainted and looks like a new boat.

Capt. John T. Case of the Jutte company, was a visitor at the rooms of Harbor 25 yesterday.

FAYERWEATHER MILLIONS WILL GO TO COLLEGES

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—The case known as the Fayerweather will case was decided by the supreme court of the United States today in favor of the colleges. The case involves a bequest of about $2,5000,000, made to 20 different colleges by the late Daniel G. Fayerweather, a leather merchant of New York, who died in 1890. The will was attacked by Mr. Fayerweather's widow and two nieces, fraud being charged.

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secures first-class
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WANTED.

Male Help.

WANTED — YOUNG MEN ATTENDING SCHOOL to do a little work after school hours and all day Saturday; only those residing with their parents need apply; must be neat and not afraid to meet people; to such young people a little spending money can be easily earned. Address, stating name, address and what ward residing in to "Grammar School," G 246, The Gazette.

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EDUCATE FOR COMMERCIAL POSITIONS—Day and night school for young and middle-aged men and women. Bookkeeping, Banking, Shorthand, Typewriting, Penmanship, Arithmetic, Grammar, Spelling. Begin now. Easy payments. Positions secured. ACTUAL BUSINESS COLLEGE, 319 Fifth ave. (Ten-Cent Store, opposite Farmers bank). Established 25 years.

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In brass, aluminum and steel.
Die work of any kind.
Estimates given.
THE FOREMAN CAN CO.,
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Always be sure to mention that you saw this adv. in The Gazette.

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FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS.

City and Suburban.

WANTED—A couple or two young men to occupy front room; 8422 Forbes st.

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East End.

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Allegheny.

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FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS.

City and Suburban.

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East End.

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Allegheny.

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Pride st....	2	$12	Wylie ave..	7	B-G
Miller st....	3	12	Liberty ave.	8	B-G
Tustin st...	3	G 15	Wylie ave..	8	B-G
Wylie ave..	4	B-G 15	Colwell st..	9	B-G
Forbes st...	4	B-G 20	Kennett sq.	9	B-G
Fifth ave...	5	B-G 20	Colnart sq..	9	B-G
Forbes st...	5	B-G 35	Bellefield ..	11	B-G
Herron ave.	5	B-G 20	Shady ave..	11	B-G
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Shady ave., 2-story frame, 5 rooms.....	10
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165 Cass ave., 2-story frame, 5 rooms.....	13
524 Preble ave., 2-story frame, 5 rooms....	14
1704 Market st., 2-story brick, 4 rooms....	14
78 Euclid ave., 2-story and attic frame, 6 rooms	15
65 Melrose ave., 2-story brick, 5 rooms..	15
12 Mathilda st., 2-story brick, 5 rooms, bath, range, etc.....	16
861 St. Clair st., 3 rooms and bath on second floor, range, etc.....	16
1237 Franklin st., 2-story frame, 6 rooms and attic	16
6-8-14 Brighton Place, 3, 2-story bricks, 6 rooms, etc.....	16
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1006 Preble ave., 2-story brick, 6 rooms..	18
1720 Adams st., 2-story brick, 6 rooms, bath, etc.....	20
518 Knoll st., 2-story brick, 9 rooms, bath, range, etc.....	25
1007 Manhattan st., 2-story and attic brick, bath, both gases.....	25
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6 rooms, bath, etc.....	20
Sheridan, Pa., 810 May st., 2-story brick, 7 rooms, bath, etc.....	20
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FOR RENT.

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WOOD STREET, NEAR FIFTH AVENUE.
Three-story building, 20x80 feet, in excellent condition; fine retail location; rent low.
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On Wallingford street, near Neville street; lot 54x181 feet; 11 large rooms; quartered oak finish; all modern conveniences; solid partition walls in cellar; water filter; excellent cellar and laundry; house was built exclusively for a home, not to sell; good reasons for selling. Price $22,500.
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New frame house of five rooms and attic; basement; kitchen; closet in cellar; good size lot. Rent $18 per month. Price $2,400, only $300 cash required.
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AVALON HOUSE on easy payments. Telephone owner, Bell 1766 Grant; P. & A. 2053 Main.

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FOR SALE—Only $9,500; Black st. (paved), near Negley ave.; lot 40x100, on which is erected a buff brick house of nine rooms; bath room and all modern improvements; owner will accept $1,500 first payment; this is a bargain.
L. A. CLARK & CO.,
409 Fourth ave.

WILKINS PLACE.
A large 10-room brick house, with every convenience; lot 40x125. Owner leaving city; price reduced to $7,000 for quick sale.
BORLAND & WADDELL,
Keystone Building,
Telephone, Court 1436. 320 Fourth ave.

Allegheny Residences.

HERE'S A RARE BARGAIN.
TO BE SOLD—For $10,000, a residence in choice location, Allegheny, which cost at the least calculation $20,000. The lot alone cost $5,500; the bare walls, without interior finish, cost $11,000; the plumbing cost $1,000; $300 were expended for tiles for the baths. In addition to these items large sums were spent for handsome mantels, hardwood trimming, leaded and stained glass windows, fine gas fixtures, built-in bookcase, furnace, range, etc. Do not miss this chance to buy a high-class home at a sacrifice price.
REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
311 Fourth ave.

Business Properties.

FOR SALE—Three-story brick storeroom and dwelling; almost new; in business district of Penn ave., East Liberty; lot 25x100 feet; terms to suit; I want to sell. J. L. Sheekey, Corey ave., Braddock, Pa.

Lots.

CLIFTON STATION, Emsworth borough, P., Ft. W.: 45 trains; 14 to 20 minutes schedule to Federal st.; lots $250 to $800. W. T. Nuttall, 205 Federal st., Allegheny.

Farms.

SEND FOR ILLUSTRATED Ohio farm list. NEILL & BLAKESLEE, Oakmont, Pa.

Real Estate—Special.

FOR SALE—$295 to $685 each; Vassar ave., Glenfield and Grotto sts., at Lincoln and Lemington aves., E. E. In our plan of 124 lots; terms $10 down, $10 per month. Excellent car service, schools, churches and stores; restrictions. Take Frankstown ave. cars with transfer at Lincoln ave., or Lincoln ave cars right to the plan, and get off at Vassar ave.; agent at office of plan on Lemington ave., near N. Fair. If these lots, No interest for three months, no taxes for current year.

FOR SALE—$3,100; Idlewild st., frame dwelling, 5 rooms, reception hall, etc. A bargain and beautiful home for small family.

FOR SALE—$4,400; Westmoreland st., near Lemington, Chadwick place, E. E., brick veneered reception-hall house, 6 rooms, bath, etc.; terms $500 down, balance $35 per month.

FOR SALE—$7,000; bargain; 1½ acres, Nineteenth ward, N. Fairmount ave.; will make 20 lots; less than $250 cash each; easy terms.

FOR SALE—$10,500; bargain; brick dwelling, 10 rooms; all modern conveniences; lot 40x100; Stanton ave., opposite Heath. Owner going to California.
LIBERTY REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
6128 Penn ave., E. E.

Mortgage Loans.

MONEY ON REAL ESTATE. Mortgages wanted on improved real estate in city or suburbs.
REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
311 FOURTH AVE.

$50,000 EASTERN money to loan on first mortgages; principals only. Address P. O. Box 968.

BARRELS OF CHEAP MONEY TO LOAN JOHN K. EWING & CO., 248 FOURTH AVE.

$500,000 to loan, 4½ to 5 per cent; mortgages or collateral; private party. P. O. box 668.

HAVE money for investment in mortgages on city property. WM. M. BELL, Times bldg

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For Sale or Exchange.

TRADE
OR
SALE

55 acres of fine farming land, 40 miles from Pittsburgh; less than ½ mile from R. R. station; soil very fertile, fences good; 2 veins of drift coal; small house. Will trade for city property. Price $8,500.
McKLVEEN & WHITE,
Real Estate "Hustlers."
604 Park Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—For vacant or improved, handsome buff brick, center-hall residence of 11 rooms, bath room, with all modern improvements; North Euclid ave., location first class; lot 41x100; owner will exchange for improved or unimproved property.
L. A. CLARK & CO.,
409 Fourth ave.

FOR EXCHANGE—Four lots (clear of encumbrance), situated on Osgood st., Tenth ward, Allegheny; fine location; owner will exchange for East End improved property and assume mortgage.
L. A. CLARK & CO.,
409 Fourth ave.

Business Opportunities.

BUTCHER SHOP—Attractive stand, Center ave.; very cheap rent; netting $100 per month; strictly cash business; price $350, including stock, cooler, scales, etc. A great bargain.

BAKERY AND CONFECTIONERY—One of the best stands in E. E. district; present sales run over 1,000 loaves bread per day; good trade in all lines; expenses small; complete and expensive equipment; will bear strict investigation; price, $5,500. Look it up.

BUTTER AND EGG STORE—Only stand in first-class business section of city; fine large room; first-class equipment; nice trade; doing strictly cash business; will sell at invoice, about $1,050.

MILLS-SLAUGENHOUPT CO.,
428 Fourth ave.

BUSINESS.
JOHN R. WALSH & CO.
608-609 Keystone Bldg. 324 Fourth ave.
SPECIAL FACILITIES FOR SELLING BUSINESS.
We are the leading business brokers.
Oldest and most reliable in the city.
STOCK COMPANIES ORGANIZED AND FINANCED.
Charters secured in any state desired.
Capital furnished to extend business.
If you are going into business see us.
PARTNERS SECURED FOR ESTABLISHED BUSINESS.
All transactions strictly confidential.
CORRESPONDENCE SOLICITED.

HOTEL FOR SALE.
Three-story solid brick hotel containing 35 sleeping rooms, large double parlors, fine office, large bar, reading room, dining-room with seating capacity for 50 people; large lot opposite L. S. & M. S. and Nickel Plate R. R. depots at North East, Pa.; bar doing $50 per day, house $30 per day. This house is finished in fine style and furnished throughout with the best. Price $20,000; will sell on easy terms.
VET L. BROWN,
Room 208. 331 Fourth ave.

WHY LOSE YOUR BUSINESS?
WE ARE THE ONLY CASH BUYERS IN PITTSBURGH.
WE BUY STORES OF ANY DESCRIPTION.
ALPINE REALTY CO.,
ROOM 310, 331 FOURTH AVE.

SALOON AND HOTEL—In city; has had a license over 30 years; best reasons for selling. See our list before buying.
MILLER & HOWARD, 431 Fourth ave.

IF you want to buy, sell or exchange any kind of business see Central Realty Co., 422 Federal st., Allegheny.

FOR LEASE—First-class bakery, with good trade; can be increased; will make good terms to first-class baker. Address P 133, The Gazette.

IF YOU WANT to buy or sell any kind of business, see CAVANAGH & CO., 431 Fourth ave.

IF YOU want to buy or sell a business, see MILLER & HOWARD, 431 Fourth ave.

Sewing Machines.

MANY SPECIAL BARGAINS

NEW DROPHEAD SEWING MACHINES.
Have all the latest improvements.
BALL BEARINGS, attachments GUARANTEED.

$15.00 EACH.

CARTER SEWING MACHINE CO.,
131 SIXTH ST.—next—BIJOU THEATER.

Typewriters.

LATE REMINGTONS, Smiths, Olivers, Underwoods, cheap. Rentals $2 up. Philadelphia Typewriter and Supply Company, 323 and 324 Lewis bldg.

Oil Production.

OIL wells for sale, 6 wells, 15 barrels; eight years old; Sistersville production, for $15,000. T. W. Larsen & Co., Sistersville, W. Va.

Bar Fixtures.

FOR SALE—Bar fixtures, counters, desks, refrigerators, chairs, stools and pool tables. Delp's, Fourth and Liberty.

Pianos.

PIANO—$450 upright, guaranteed, outfit for $160. Address Y 245, The Gazette.

FOR SALE.

Machinery.

GAS AND GASOLINE ENGINES.
4 H. P. horizontal gasoline.
6 H. P. vertical gas or gasoline.
10 H. P. Charter gas or gasoline.
12 H. P. Fairbanks Morse gas engine, direct connected to 6" pump.
15 H. P. Wayne gas or gasoline.
25 H. P. Ajax gas.
35 H. P. Olds gasoline.
60 H. P. Raymond gas.
Also steam power plants and miscellaneous machine tools and rolling mill machinery.
WICKES BROTHERS,
45th st. & A. V. R. R.,
Pittsburgh, Pa. BOTH 'PHONES.

WE SELL ENGINES AND BOILERS
For any purpose. All sizes from 2 h. p. up. Here are some of our bargains:
FOR SALE.
One 25 h. p. Columbus gas engine.
One 60-inch cupola blower.
One 12 h. p. automatic steam engine.
We sell the famous Fairbanks, Morse & Co. gas engines.
TRANTER MANUFACTURING CO.,
106 Water st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

FOR SALE—Boilers and engines, all sizes, from 3 to 125 H. P., stationary and portable upright boilers and engines; large assortment 2x4 in. stock, shafting, pulleys and hangers and large lot miscellaneous machinery, second-hand belting, leather and rubber; large stock of all sizes at low prices; machinery of all kinds bought and exchanged.
JOHN S. YOUNG,
108-110 Park way, Allegheny, Pa.

FOR SALE—Engines, boilers, sawmills, sand crushers, grinding mills, brick machinery, rock crushers, road machinery, traction engines, threshers, corn huskers, hydraulic cider mills, belting, hose, circular saws, general supplies.
B. D. REED, 26 E. Lacock st., Allegheny.

FOR SALE—Gas engines, gasoline; complete gasoline yachts; vertical and horizontal, all sizes. Pumping engines, all purposes, 1-6 H. P. F. & M., 1-10 H. P. Clark.
316—THE FAIRBANKS CO.—318 Second ave.

MODEL MAKING, SHEET METAL DIES AND STAMPING, GENERAL MACHINIST WORK. We have best equipped and best located shop in city and guarantee workmanship.
IMPRIAL MACHINE CO.,
1508 Park Bldg. Pittsburgh.

Safes.

SAFES—Bought, sold and exchanged. W. Frager, 110 Market st.

PITTSBURGH SAFE COMPANY,
321 THIRD AVE.

Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—Billiard tables, new and second-hand. We lead the world in cheap bar fixtures. Easy payments. Brunswick-Balke-Collender, 101 Smithfield st.

PAINT PRESERVES PROPERTY.
Protect your home with good paint put on by a trustworthy painter.
P. J. BYRNE, 634 Fifth ave.
711 Forbes st. Both Telephones.

FINANCIAL.

ADDITIONAL CAPITAL SUPPLIED.
LEGITIMATE ENTERPRISES FINANCED.
STOCKS AND BONDS UNDERWRITTEN AND GUARANTEED.
WE ASSIST CORPORATIONS AND INDIVIDUALS IN PROCURING CAPITAL IF THE PROPOSITION IS BASED ON CONSERVATIVE LINES.
WE EXTEND TO OUR CLIENTS THE BENEFITS OF OUR CONNECTIONS IN THE DIFFERENT FINANCIAL CENTERS.
WE ADVERTISE AND PLACE THEIR SECURITIES ON SALE IN ALL OUR OFFICES.
CORPORATION FINANCE COMPANY,
400 GRANT ST., PITTSBURGH, PA.

BONDS FOR SALE—$50,000 first mortgage 6 per cent coal bonds at par; mine is going and all of the output sold railroad company; principals only. Address Finance, M 179, The Gazette.

BANKRUPTCY SALE.

JUSTUS MULERT, receiver in bankruptcy, will offer at public auction on Saturday, December 3, 1904, at 10:30 a. m., the hotel, restaurant and saloon formerly occupied by Christian Echard, now bankrupt, on the premises, No. 515 Braddock avenue, Braddock, Pa. Twenty-five (25) per cent at time of public auction, balance on confirmation of sale. Justus Mulert, receiver, 421 Wood st. Chas. H. Sachs, attorney, Frick building.

JUSTUS MULERT, receiver in bankruptcy, will offer at public auction on Saturday, December 3, 1904, at 2:30 p. m., the restaurant and saloon formerly occupied by Jerome M. Keller, now bankrupt, on the premises, No. 628 Smithfield street, Pittsburgh, Pa. Twenty-five (25) per cent at time of public auction, balance on confirmation of sale. Justus Mulert, receiver, 421 Wood st. Fred W. Miller, attorney, St. Nicholas bldg.

LOST.

LOST—BLACK COLLIE DOG.
Lost or strayed from 5515 Black st., E. E., black collie dog, tan marked with white spots on neck and tail, answering to the name of Collie. Liberal reward for return of dog to above address or information leading to his recovery. L. S. Harris.

LOST OR STRAYED Friday, medium-sized black dog, long-haired spaniel-skye cross; license No. 1571; name Tatters; probably in Homewood district or vicinity. Liberal reward if returned to 522 South Lang ave.; 'phone, Highland 1573-L.

NOTICE.

NOTICE—An examination will be held at the Allegheny High School, Saturday, December 3, beginning at 9 a. m., to fill the position of assistant teacher. Candidates will be examined in Latin and general history. All applicants will be expected to take the examination.
By Order of HIGH SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I, Charles E. Sloan, will not be responsible for any debts contracted from this date on by my wife, Mary B. Sloan.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES.

WANTED—Parties with small capital to take interest in an oil lease and a well to be drilled upon the same; there are producing wells on the adjoining farms; there are four producing sands, Maxon, Keener, Big Injun and Berea. This is a good investment and is one of the best oil leases ever offered to the public. Address D 159, The Gazette.

FOR SALE—A good paying feed business, including cornmeal mill; will sell or lease property. L. S. Depue, 820 Four and a Half st., S. W., Washington, D. C.

PATENTS.

PATENTS expeditiously procured in all countries. Send for circular. David P. Moore, 246 Third ave. Loan and Trust building, Washington, D. C.

H. C. EVERT & CO., Patent Attorneys, 303 Smithfield st., opposite postoffice.

TRUXALL, seller and promoter of patents. 900 German Nat. Bank Bldg., Pittsburgh.

EDUCATIONAL.

STENOGRAPHERS—Are you ambitious? Do you want to become a first-class stenographer? Increase you speed, your accuracy, your usefulness, by a course in the review and graded dictation classes of our night school.
THE MARTIN SCHOOL,
Liberty ave. and Fifth st.

STOLEN.

STOLEN—On October 22, bay horse 15.3 hands high, one white ankle behind; weight about 1,000 pounds; paces, going slow, jogs trotting; hitched to yellow Moyer runabout. Any information leading to recovery of this outfit will be thankfully received by W. J. Thubron, Federal and Montgomery street, Allegheny.

DANCING ACADEMY.

JAMES P. BROOKS' Dancing Academy, 204 Sixth st. Beginners' classes Mondays and Fridays. Advanced class Thursday evenings.

M'DOUGALL'S Dancing Academy, 27 Federal, Allegheny. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Saturdays, 10 lessons $3. Children Saturday 3 p. m. Private lessons any afternoon or evening, $1.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on Wednesday, December 21, 1904, by Charles E. Yost, William E. Nusser and James H. Mering, under the act of assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation

JUMP IN STEEL COMMON SURPRISED WALL STREET

The Price Crossed 31 and Closed Near the Top. High Grade Railroad Stocks Strong. Active Day in Pittsburgh.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

The most striking feature in the New York stock market yesterday was United States Steel common, which on enormous transactions advanced to 31¾ and closed at 31½ bid. This stock was also the strongest in the American department on the London exchange, and foreigners were buyers. The preferred stock did not improve upon Saturday's highest price, and subsequently sold off and closed a shade lower for the day. The sinking fund bonds did not get above 95¼ and closed at 94½, a net loss for the day of ¼ per cent. The common stock is now higher than at any time since June, 1903. At the latter date it was receiving 1 per cent quarterly dividends and the earnings of the corporation averaged more than $12,000,000 a month for that quarter. At the present time its earnings are variously estimated at from $6,000,000 to $7,000,000 a month. During the past five weeks, or since the stock got above 20, the transactions on the New York stock exchange have aggregated about 2,550,000 shares, or almost exactly one-half of the total issue. The buying yesterday was as confident and in as large volume as at any time since the price crossed 20, and predictions are now made that it will reach 40. Under the circumstances the only reasonable explanation for the movement is that it is purely speculative. Certainly, the general public is not buying it for an investment. It is hardly conceivable that the corporation has a financial plan in contemplation that will improve the status of the common stock and place it in any better position to receive dividends than it occupied six months ago, thus justifying the present price. The most sanguine individual in the iron trade does not look for profits in 1905 to average up with the profits for the first half of 1903, when the Steel Corporation reported earnings for the six months of $61,568,235. In this view of the situation, the enormous buying and advance in the common stock must be set down to speculation, and if this is true, it is possible that the new prediction of 40 may be realized.

The other iron and steel stocks responded to the strength of the leader and advanced sharply. The largest gain was scored by Colorado Fuel and Iron, which advanced from 58 at the opening to 58⅝, and closed with a net gain of 6 per cent. Tennessee Coal and Iron advanced to 77½. Cast Iron Pipe preferred to 77½. Republic Iron and Steel preferred to 73½, and all the railroad equipment stocks were strong and higher. The other industrials were moderately active, but prices were irregular. General Electric closed at a loss of 2 per cent. Sugar closed 1¼ per cent lower, while Amalgamated Copper closed ⅝ higher, its advance coming just before the close of the market.

The strongest stocks in the railroad list were the high-priced issues. Illinois Central rose from 153¼ to 158¼. Northwestern advanced 4⅝ points to 204⅜. Pennsylvania advanced a point to 137⅜. St. Paul rallied to 175 and Louisville & Nashville to 142½. The Pacific stocks were heavy all day and Union Pacific, Southern Pacific, Missouri Pacific and Atchison all closed lower. In the lower-priced issues there was heavy buying of Erie, Southern Railway and Rock Island, but there seemed to be plenty of stock to go around and the bull pools apparently gave up the task of advancing this class. The net changes were unimportant.

Call loan rates ruled at 3½@3¾ per cent most of the day, but in the afternoon advanced to 4 per cent. This movement had no effect upon speculation. At the close of the day the rate declined to 3¼ per cent. There was very little news to affect values, but railroad earnings continued favorable and the cheerful sentiment in trade circles was as prominent as ever.

Trading was very active on the Pittsburgh stock exchange, the sales footing up the largest total for any day this year. A number of stocks advanced to the highest prices for the year and all the more prominent stocks closed at substantial gains. Pittsburgh Coal preferred had the largest sale and was one of the strongest, advancing to 81 and closing at 80¾ bid. The common rallied to 22½, but closed unchanged for the day. All the steel issues were active, but the only one to retain its gain was United States Steel common, which closed 1¼ per cent higher. Crucible preferred rallied to 49½, the highest of the year, but subsequently reacted to 49. The common was active within the narrow range of 97¾@10. A feature of the late trading was National Fire Proofing. The common advanced 10 11¾ and the preferred to 34, and closed at the best. Westinghouse Electric rallied to 92, the highest on this movement, and closed at a net gain of a dollar a share. Air Brake closed unchanged at 151, and Switch and Signal closed a shade lower, at 83¾. Pittsburgh Brewing common became active in the late dealings and advanced to 26⅞. Tonopah Extension was active, selling at $2.15, the highest ever quoted. Bessemer pig iron warrants, January delivery, sold at $16.50, an advance of 20 cents a ton. The market closed active and firm.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

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10	do	9¾	
100	do	9¾	
40	do	9¾	
10	do	9¾	
55	F. Proof com.	11¾	
100	do	11¾	
100	do	11¾	
5	Crucible pfd.	49	
10	do	49	
100	do	49	
100	do	49¼	
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5	do	49¾	
100	do	49¾	
100	do	49¾	
125	do	49¾	
5	do	49¾	
75	do	49¾	
10	do	49½	
5	do	49½	
10	do	49½	
40	do	49½	
20	do	49½	
25	do	49½	
15	Marsden	4¾	
100	Tonopah Ext.	2.12	
50	F. Proof com.	11¾	
50	do	11¾	
5	Pig Iron W.		
	D—Jan.	16.50	

15	Electric 2nds.	92	
5	P. Coal pfd.	80	
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PLENTY OF SMALL SALES AND RUMORS

Important Transactions Nearly Closed—Deal Reported for the Frick Holdings.

WOOD STREET LEASE RENEWED

An increasing number of small sales was the only point of special interest in the realty market yesterday as far as actual announcements were concerned. But if a good proportion of the deals said to be nearly closed are actually consummated within the next few days the present week will be one of the best this fall. A deal for the Schenley acreage near the Hotel Schenley, is reported to be far enough along to warrant an early closing. At least two downtown deals, each of which will run close to a half million, have been pending for weeks, and yesterday were reported to be near a favorable ending. A new warehouse is also scheduled to change hands within a few days, and numerous transactions of importance for properties in the East End wards are moving along well. Some of the rumors current give promise of most interesting developments in a business way, and their number and the sources from which they come show a much stronger spirit in general business circles.

The most important of the new stories in circulation yesterday was one to the effect that a deal was on for the property of H. C. Frick at Wood and Diamond streets. The property has a frontage of 122 feet in the former and 120 feet in the latter thoroughfare, and is improved with a two-story bank building at the corner and three and four-story buildings in Wood street. The price mentioned in the deal was $1,500,000, which would figure at the rate of about $12,500 a foot for the Wood street frontage. One rumor had it that an option had been secured on the property, but this was not generally believed.

Renewed Their Lease.

The Reineke-Wilson Company has re-leased from Hartje Brothers, John B. Jackson and the Chambers estate the building they now occupy in Wood street, near First avenue. The lease is said to be for five years, and the rental will be about $20,000 a year. The building is a four-story brick, 80x120 feet.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has purchased from Janet Pitcairn a vacant plot near the Shadyside station, Twentieth ward, for $12,000. The property is in the rear of Ellsworth avenue, between Aiken avenue and Colonial place, and has a frontage of 217 feet on the railroad by an extreme depth of 108 feet. The plot, which contains one-half an acre, adjoins the Moorhead holdings and was formerly part of the W. B. Negley property.

Paul Stewart has bought from Henry M. Preston 488x167 feet, on the south side of Frankstown avenue, extending through to Kelly street, near Hamilton avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $14,000. Two brick houses stand on the lot.

Slight Changes in Building.

A little more building is coming forward the past 10 days, although conditions as to next year's business and the cost of building are not yet as fully settled as to warrant any marked increase in operations announced. The general opinion of architects and contractors favors prompt letting of contracts, as they say that prices are very likely to advance soon after January 1. The following contracts have been awarded within the last few days:

Architect S. Haseley Ellis to Mayhoven & Lytle, remodeling the store room of Otto E. Oetting in the Bissell block; Architect C. W. Hodgdon to C. S. Smith, a three-story brick store and apartment building in Collins avenue, for Homer Schneiderman, to cost $18,000; Architects Vrydaugh & Wolfe to John Williams, altering the banking room for the Bank of Pittsburgh, for Fourth avenue, to cost $20,000; Architect C. J. Pippus to Enzian & Sengler, an apartment house in Race street for J. Mutzig, to cost $7,000; Architect E. V. Denick to D. H. Nuss & Son of McKees Rocks, a brick church for the Calvary Presbyterian congregation at Hill and Swissvale avenues, to cost $15,000.

New bids are being taken by Architects Vrydaugh & Wolfe on the stone church to be erected at Homa and California avenues, Avalon, for the Bellevue Methodist Episcopal congregation, to cost about $50,000.

Architect Max Bruening is taking estimates on a $15,000 brick and shingle house which he will build on Squirrel hill.

Thomas Lynch will erect an apartment house on Mt. Washington from plans by Architect R. B. Melvin.

Sales Made by Brokers.

Wylie avenue: The Real Estate Trust Company sold for the estate of Henry Criswell to Henry C. Cooper of Eldersville, 2242-2246 Wylie avenue, near Kirkpatrick street, Thirtenth ward, three frame houses on 48x100 feet, for $8,000. The houses rent for $72 50 a month.

Race street: McElveen & White sold for M. A. Cunningham to William A. Wood a three-story brick house on 20x95 feet, in Race street, Twenty-first ward, for $6,000; for Harper H. Smith to Charles Luke, 65x135 feet in Irwin avenue; for R. W. Murray to George F. Stacey an improved lot 85x100 feet, in Southern avenue, Thirty-second ward, for $5,000.

Industry street: James A. Griffith sold for William A. Lang to J. H. Johnson, 58x120 feet in Industry street, Thirty-first ward, for $1,450; for Anthony Rooney to Miss Catherine L. O'Day, 114 Maple avenue, a six-room frame house on 55x114 Maple avenue.

Atlantic avenue: Annie M. Linsenmeyer sold to John M. Warner an improved lot 48x115 feet, on the south side of South Atlantic avenue, Twentieth ward, for $3,000.

Margaretta street: Clara J. Davis sold to Rebecca Tannenbaum, 26x84 feet, at Margaretta and Fannel streets, Nineteenth ward, for $1,800.

Virginia avenue: David H. Lesh sold to Arthur F. Reed an improved lot 50x88.5 feet, on the north side of Virginia avenue, near Kearsarge street, Thirty-second ward, for $1,900.

South Side: William A. and James S. Early sold to James McDermott an improved lot, 24x130 feet, on the north side of Sarah street, near Twenty-third street, Twenty-fifth ward, for $6,100.

Scattering Real Estate Deals.

Climax street: Sophia Widman sold to Walter Stumpf an improved lot, 25x100 feet, on the south side of Climax street, Thirty-eighth ward, for $1,800.

South Side: The Rt. Rev. Bishop Richard Phelan sold to John P. Soder 72x100 feet in St. Thomas street, Twenty-seventh ward, for $1,050.

Tioga street: Lacy S. McKeever sold to Robert C. Taylor 50x108 feet on the south side of Tioga street, Twenty-first ward, for $1,800.

Broadhead street: Samuel Sanders sold to Ellen Quinn 25x120 feet on the north side of Broadhead street, Twenty-first ward, for $2,000.

Shady avenue: James F. McKinley sold to Albert E. Murphy an improved lot, 50x150 feet, on the east side of Shady avenue, near Northumberland avenue, Twenty-second ward, for $5,600.

Gearing avenue: Alexander H. Hunter sold to Gottlieb Hahm an improved lot, 25x78 feet, in Gearing avenue, Thirty-eighth ward, for $2,550.

Kincaid street: Frank M. Taylor sold to Mary C. Gilson an improved lot, 26x107 feet, in Kincaid street, near Vista street, Nineteenth ward, for $4,800.

The Aronson Realty Company sold the property 46 Miller street to Mr. I. Friedman for $4,200. The improvements consist of a three-story brick warehouse and a 7-room brick dwelling on lot 20x125 feet.

The Aronson-Friedman Company report the sale of the property at 5737 Kentucky avenue for John Cooper to H. Averbach, the consideration was $4,750.

The Rev. Cyrus E. Hatch has sold the old Hatch estate at Dravosburg heights to Dr. W. H. Chambers for $60,000. The Hatch estate is widely known as one of Monongahela valley and is improved with handsome residence.

Permits issued by the bureau of building inspection were as follows: J. M. McConnell, frame store, Liberty avenue and Mathilda street, Sixteenth ward, $5,000; Mrs. Lillie Miller, frame dwelling, Estella street, Thirty-second ward, $2,200; Hutchinson & Adams, brick veneer dwelling, Bennett street, Thirty-seventh ward, $4,500.

The Allegheny bureau of building inspection issued the following permits: To Gust Nable, frame one-story and attic dwelling on Millwood avenue, Fifteenth ward, to cost $1,000; Peter Simek, one-story and attic frame dwelling on Villa street, Seventh ward, to cost $2,500; Federal Building and Loan association, one-story and attic dwelling at Compromise street and Heyes alley, Twelfth ward, to cost $800; Caroline Seiling, two two-story and attic brick veneer dwellings on Shady avenue, Eleventh ward, to cost, all told, $13,500.

Transfers Recorded.

Mellor C C to R M Jones, Nov 26, Edgewood, 50x122, Swissvale ave ..... $ 3,250
Neely M J to John Mohn, Nov 9, Marshall tpw, 57 acres 2,200
Hollis Elizabeth to John N Tate, Nov 9, 27th wd, Pgh, 20x90, Salisbury st.. 2,500
Lafferty M E to Chas E Espy, Nov 1, Pgh, 24x120, Jane st 4,000
Blackiad J to A Salnt, Nov 17, 21st wd, Pgh, 42x55, Fifth ave 5,600
Walker Place Land Co to A V Purnell, Oct 22, 11th wd, Ally, 40x115, Mansion ave 2,000
Same to same, Oct 22, 11th wd, Ally, 40x120, Termon ave 2,200
Same to Anna Heckert, Oct 22, 11th wd, Ally, 57x120, California ave 4,312
Boyle Mary M to John Simon, Nov 25, 17th wd, Pgh, 22x108, Forty-fourth st. 1,475
Marzer M to Sophia Miller, Nov 14, 11th wd, Ally, 24x111, Benton ave 4,140
Boyne W E to Geo Thomas, July 30, Versailles borough, lot 78x148 1,200
Bellevue School Dist to E Hallett, Mch 1, Bellevue, 140x116, Howard st.. 5,200
Equitable Trust Co to J A Noble, Oct 29, 28th wd, Pgh, 20x80, Harmony st 2,000
Dugan Thos to Geo Wild, Nov 26, Millvale, 48x99, Hanson st 1,700
Leithoff Orena E Loose Jr, Nov 22, 32d wd, Pgh, 25x113, Southern ave 3,000
Sweeney E A to O C Sweeney, Oct 27, 23d wd, Pgh, 30x120, Lytle st..... 1,200
Freeman H H to V Rahnestock, Nov 14, 21st wd, Pgh, 25x95, Hermitage st.. 6,000
Lee C E to same, Nov 14, Edgewood, 30x109, Oakwood ave 8,000
Hastings Joseph to A W Abel, Aug 18, Bellevue, 50x120, Bryne ave 3,500
Duff Mary to D. Burgander, Nov 15, Chartiers tpw, 71x183, Windgap ave.. 3,200
McCune T W to E M Smith, Nov 22, Avalon, 50x110, California ave 5,300
Rodgers D D to S J Plummer, Sept 17, Wilkinsburg, 55x80, Hillside ave 1,200
Holmes W M to H H Fyeman, Nov 25, 21st wd, Pbh, 25x83, Hemlitage st.. 6,000
O'Connor I M to H A Lutz, Nov 18, Sterrett tpw, 46x102, Maplewood ave.. 1,000
Glass R S to J D Heard, Nov 25, 20th wd, Pgh, 25x83, Center ave 6,300
Crump S S to H E Richards, Oct 12, Dravosburg, 48x120, Washington st.. 1,400
State Bank of Braddock to H E Richards, Nov 1, Dravosburg, 17x48, McClure st 8,800
Brecht Wm to Wm Sisler, July 30, 32d wd, Pgh, 30x100, Kearsarge st..... 1,400
Denham J K to W A Thomas, Nov 7, 22d wd, Pgh, 100x150, Beacon st.. 5,200
Howard T J to G G Kriss, Oct 18, 7th wd, McKeesport, 35x100, Stewart st.. 2,000
Freinstein A to W H Ackerly, Nov 3, 18th wd, Ally, 22x50, Buchanan st.. 1,100
Weisman J to J Kornick, Nov 25, Sharpsburg, 24x150, Clay st..... 1,950
Fauset Ella to M J Numbali, Nov 11, Braddock, 100x30, Margaretta st..... 5,000
Watt J H to A W Harger, Nov 6, Ben Avon, 35x122, Watt ave 1,750
Wise S L to T J Bushman, Nov 23, Sharpsburg, 2x107, Clifton ave..... 2,000
Zimkand P A to Robt Wimer, Oct 21, 21st wd, Pgh, 25x90, Monticello st.. 1,200
Patterson A H to M Conleff, Nov 28, N. Braddock, 30x113, Fourth st..... 1,080

Pig Iron Certificates Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—There was no activity in the market for pig iron certificates early today, although firmer prices were bid in most instances, but the offerings were limited. Morning call:

	Bid.	Asked.
Cash	17.00	.....
November	17.05	.....
December	17.15	.....
January	17.25	17.50
February	17.25	17.50
March	17.25	17.50
April	17.30	17.50
May	17.30	17.55
July	17.25	17.55

In the afternoon more interest was manifested in pig iron certificates, buyers being more numerous, with higher prices bid in most instances, but offerings were small, which checked business. Afternoon call:

	Bid.	Asked.
Cash	17.00	.....
November	17.15	.....
December	17.25	.....
January	17.40	17.60
February	17.50	17.55
March	17.50	17.60
April	17.65	17.70
May	17.60	17.75
July	17.50	17.80

Sales—100 tons January at 17.40, 100 tons February at 17.44 and 100 tons February at 17.50.

The Bond Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—(Special.)—District of Columbia 3s, 1924, 110½ bid; Philippine 4s, 109 bid. Price ranges were as follows:

	High.	Low.	Last Sale.
Japanese 6s	91¾	91¾	91¾
American Tobacco 6s	110¾	110¼	110¾
Do 4s	72	70¾	71½
Atchison general 4s	106	102¾	102¾
Brook. Rap. Tran. con. 4s	85	84½	84½
Central of Ga. 2d inc	74	73	73
C., R. & Q. joint 4s	100¾	100¼	100¾
C. R. I. & P. col. 4s	52¾	52¼	52¼
Do col. 5s	95	94¾	94¾
Col. Fuel & Iron con. 5s	87¾	86	87¼
Consolidated Tobacco 4s	82½	82	82¾
Distilling 5s	77½	77	77¾
Lackawanna Steel 5s	104¾	104¼	104¾
Reading general 4s	102½	102¼	102½
St. L. & S. con. 4s	83	82¾	82¾
Union Pacific con. 4s	115¾	114¾	115
United States Steel s. f. 5s	95½	94¾	94¾
Wabash Deb. 8s	69¾	68¼	68¾

Cotton.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Range of prices:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	9.48	9.50	9.35	9.34
February	*9.53	.....	.....	9.41
March	9.64	9.65	9.51	9.51
April	*9.70	9.70	9.70	9.57
May	*9.77	9.80	9.63	9.63
June	*9.82	.....	.....	9.63
July	*9.83	9.83	9.69	9.68
November	*9.25	.....	.....	9.20
December	9.35	9.36	9.25	9.23

*Bid.

Visible Supply of Grain.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—The visible supply of grain Saturday, November 26, as compiled by the New York produce exchange was as follows: Wheat, 35,595,000 bushels, increase 2,196,000 bushels; corn, 1,852,000 bushels, increase 859,000 bushels; oats, 24,232,000 bushels, decrease 92,000 bushels; rye, 1,870,000 bushels, decrease 58,000 bushels; barley, 6,038,000 bushels, increase 527,000 bushels.

COLD WEATHER BRACES UP ALL MARKET LINES

Produce of Various Kinds Threatens Stiff Advance Due to Coming of Winter.

Cold weather is stiffening all local market lines and in the produce field, particularly, it looks as if some decided advances would take place soon. Frosted potatoes were received in the local yards yesterday and this is an indication that cold weather is beginning to interfere with shipments of that character and a rise in price is bound to follow.

Potatoes have been at a fairly low figure and have held that for several weeks. The demand for them is increasing and the supply is growing less. There was a big potato crop this year, and it was due to this that prices held so low. With the coming of freezing weather, however, the price will advance and market men are expecting it this week.

Cabbage is another article of produce which is becoming active, and an increase in price is looked for in that line in a few days. Although there has been a heavy demand for it for the past several days, no advance has taken place as yet.

In the wholesale grocery trade everything was quiet yesterday, despite the fact that a big day's business was transacted. The flour market showed no change, though it was thought last week it might make a movement about Monday. Dealers think flour will shade off a little again this week as the wheat market seems to have gone into a steady decline. Coffee and sugar are still firm at the prices quoted and no changes are looked for in those lines.

Receipts of fruit and produce yesterday were as follows: Apples 6, making 49; beets 1, bananas 3, making 14; cabbage 2, making 48; carrots 1, making 3; celery 2, making 5; onions 1, making 21; oranges 8, making 15; pears 1, potatoes 20, making 84; squash 1, making 2; sweet potatoes 1, making 3; turnips 1, making 5; miscellaneous 6, making 8.

HAY AND GRAIN.

Receipts.

Receipts of hay and grain in the local market yesterday were as follows: Pennsylvania lines, 32 cars hay, 4 cars feed, 2 cars rye, 7 cars corn, 11 cars oats, 2 cars straw; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, 1 car hay, 1 car corn; Baltimore & Ohio, 5 cars hay, 2 cars oats, 1 car feed.

In the hay and grain market business is improving greatly over what it was a couple of weeks ago. Oats are in great demand and the bids at the exchange yesterday were fully up to quotations. All corn received in this market is readily picked up and it is now arriving in good condition. This is largely due to the cold weather, but also to the fact that more care is being exercised in sorting it for shipping. Straw was marked down yesterday, as to wheat and oats, as the demand for these has fallen off. Rye straw still holds it own and good rye is readily bought up.

No. 1 timothy ..$12.50@12.75
No. 2 do ..$11.50@12.00
No. 1 clover ..$13.25@13.50
No. 1 mix..$12.00@12.75
Loose from wagon..$14.00@16.00
Straw, oat..$7.25@7.50
do wheat..$7.25@7.50
do rye ..$12.75@13.00
No. 2 white oats ....35@35½c
No. 3 oats..34¼@34¾c
No. 4 oats....33@33½c
White middlings, No. 1, ton..$23.00@23.50
No. 2 middlings ..$21.50@22.00
do brown..$19.00@19.50
Bran, ton ..$19.00@19.50
Wheat, No. 2 red, at mill...$1.06@1.08
Corn, No. 2 yellow shelled ....64@64½c
New yellow shelled ....54@54½c
High mixed ....60½@61c
No. 2 yellow ear ....63¼@64c
New yellow ear ....52@62½c
No. 2 rye, western ....92½@93c

PROVISIONS.

Hams.

18 lbs and up.....10c
Over 14 to 16 lbs..10c
Over 10 to 14 lbs.10¼c
10 lbs and under.10¾c
Skinned 11c
Boneless boiled...17½c
California 7¾c
Shoulders, N. Y., cut 9c
do skinned 9½c
Ribs, 8 to 10 lbs.11½c
do 10 to 12 lbs.10¾c
do back strips.10½c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs. 11¼c
do 10 to 12 lbs.11¼c

Breakfast bacon, back strips 10¾c
Dry salt sides, extra short clears ..8¾c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs. 9c
do 16 to 20 lbs..9¼c
do under 16 lbs.9¼c
Dry salt smoked sides, extra short clears 9¼c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs. 10c
do 16 to 20 lbs.10¼c
do under 16 lbs.10¼c
Lard, pure, tierces .....8@8½c

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl....$26.00
do half bbl....$11.50
do quar. bbl....$3.00
Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbl....$20.00
do half bbls....$10.50
do quar. bbl....$6.25
do 20-lb pails..$2.40
do 10-lb pails..$1.75

Mackerel, No. 2 large, bbl....$16.50
do half bbls....$8.50
do quar. bbls....$4.35
do 20-lb pails..$1.90
do 10-lb pails..$1.00
do No. 2 Irish, 50-lb tubs....$5.00
Lake herring, 100 lbs $3.85
do 30-lb $1.35
do 10-lb 50c

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

PITTSBURGH UNION STOCK YARDS.
MONDAY, Nov. 28, 1904.
STOCK ON SALE.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep
J. B. Hutt & Co.	4½	7½	2
S. B. Hedges & Co.	9	12	4½
McCall, Rowden & Newburn	20	18½	7
W. & B. Brinkman	11	2½	4½
L. Dyer & Co.	8	15½	2
J. Needy & Co.	10	10	1½
M. Huffman	3	.....	.....
L. Lowenstein & Co.	5	.....	.....
F. A. Schmitz & Bro.	11	.....	.....
Ohio L. S. C. Co.	8	5	1½
McCaully	2	.....	.....
Totals	91½	88½	28
Last week	167	101½	25½

SHIPMENTS.

	New York.			Philadel'a			Locals.		
	C.	H.	S.	C.	H.	S.	C.	H.	S.
Monday	2	12	2	1	5	14	32	31	3
Tuesday	6	15	5	14	3	3	37	19	4
Wednesday	19	16	1	4	7	2	24	5	..
Thursday	1	15	2	16	4	2	24	10	2
Friday	18	14	2	8	4	4	33	5	2
Sat. and Sun.	8	10	3	8	10	8	54	6	..
Totals	64	80	15	51	33	33	204	76	11
Last week	58	119	19	92	37	30	209	102	15

SALES.

Day.	Cattle	Hogs	Sheep	C'lves
Monday	2914	17858	5815	765
Tuesday	339	3698	375	177
Wednesday	60	1393	533	70
Thursday	....	1378	568	79
Friday	....	4708	969	124
Saturday	45	1462	486	13
Totals	3349	30485	8086	1228
Last week	3465	33361	10117	1461

Cattle.

Receipts of cattle were 90 loads. The market was active and livlier than it has been for several weeks. The price was 25c higher on good cattle, other grades going slow. Good cattle are still scarce, most of the receipts being grass fed. Quotations: Choice, 1,400 to 1,500 lbs, $5 50@5 75; prime, 1,300 to 1,400 lbs, $5 20@5 40; good, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs, $4 65@5 10; tidy, 1,000 to 1,150 lbs, $4 25@4 60; common, 700 to 900 lbs, $2 00@3 00; choice heifers, $3 50@4 00; common to good fat bulls, $2 00@3 25; good fresh cows and springers, $40 00@50 00; common to fair, $20 00@35 00.

Sheep and Lambs.

Receipts of sheep and lambs were fair and to the number of 23 double decks. The market was stronger on sheep and 10c higher on lambs. Quotations: Prime wethers, 95 to 100 lbs, $4 30@4 50; good mixed, 85 to 90 lbs, $4 00@4 25; fair mixed, 75 to 80 lbs, $3 40@3 75; common, $1 00@2 00; lambs, $4 00@6 25; veal calves, $7 00@7 75; heavy and thin, $4 00@5 00.

Hogs.

An active hog market followed the receipt of about 100 double decks. The market was better yesterday than for a couple of weeks. In spite of the fact that it is right in the midst of the fall butchering season. Quotations: Prime heavy, $4 80@4 85; medium, $4 80; heavy Yorkers, $4 70@4 80; light Yorkers, $4 50@4 60; pigs, $4 40@4 50; roughs, $4 00@4 30; stags, $3 00@3 75.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Receipts, 4,310 head; top grades strong; medium and common steers, slow but steady; bulls, 10@15c higher; cows steady to 10c higher; native steers, $3 25@5 75; bulls, $2 25@3 85; cows, $1 25@3 50; choice Cincinnati do, $3 85; cables quoted live cattle selling at 5½@12c a lb, dressed weight; sheep steady at 12@13c; lambs, 14c, dressed weight. Calves—Receipts, 1,508 head; veals 25c higher; grassers, 25@50c higher; veals, $5 00@6 00; culls, $4 00@4 50; grassers, $2 50@3 75; few choice at $4; western, $4; dressed calves strong; city dressed, 8@13½c a lb; country dressed, 7@12c. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 18,241 head; sheep slow but generally steady; 15@25c lower; sheep, $3 00@4 50; choice to extra, $4 00@4 75; Ohio export western, $5 00; culls, $1 50@2 75; lambs, $5 25@6 25; three cars choice and extra, $6 40@6 45; Canada lambs, $5 95. Hogs—Receipts, 14,831 head; market full steady; good to prime hogs, $5 00@5 10.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 17,000 head, including 600 southerns; market slow and steady. Choice export and dressed beef steers, $5 00@6 25; fair to good, $3 50@5 00; westeren fed steers, $3 50@5 50; stockers and feeders, $2 50@4 00; southern steers, $2 50@4 25; southern cows, $1 50@3 25; native calves, $2 50@5 00. Hogs—Receipts, 7,000 head; market 5@10c lower; top, $4 72½; bulk of sales, $4 40@4 67½; heavy, $4 65@4 72½; packers, $4 50@4 65; pigs and lights, $3 70@4 55. Sheep—Receipts, 1,000 head; market steady; native lambs, $4 50@6 00; native wethers, $4 25@4 75; native ewes, $4 00@4 50; western lambs, $4 00@6 00; western yearlings, $4 25@5 25; western sheep, $3 75@4 40; stockers and feeders, $2 50@4 25.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 28.—Hogs steady to active; butchers, $4 70@4 75; common, $3 50@4 50. Cattle active, 10@15c higher; fair to good shippers, $4 10@4 25; common, $2 00@3 50. Sheep 50c@ and weak, $1 75@4 00; lambs easy, $3 50@6 25.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Butter firm; receipts, 4,045 pkgs; street price, extra creamery, 26@26½c; official prices, creamery, common to extra, 16@26½c; do held extra, 19@25½c; state dairy, common to extra, 15@24c; renovated, common to extra, 13@19½c; western factory, common to choice, 13@16½c; western imitation creamery, common to choice, 15½@20c. Cheese firm; receipts, 1,497 pkgs; state, full cream, small, September, colored and white fancy, 11¾c; do late made, colored and white, choice, 10¾c; do good to prime, 10@10¼c; do poor to fair, 8½@9¾c; do large September, colored and white fancy, 11¾c; do late made, colored, choice, 10½c; do good to prime, 9¾@10c; do large September, white fancy, 11¾c; do late made, 10¼c; do good to prime, 9½@9¾c; do poor to fair, 7¾@8¼c; skims, full to light, 3@8¼c. Eggs strong; receipts, 3,744 pkgs; state, Pennsylvania and nearby selected, white fancy, 30@31c; do fancy mixed, 32@33c, western fancy, selected, 30c; do average best, 28@29c; refrigerator, 18@22c; southerns, 20@22c.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 28.—Butter firm, 1c higher; extra western creamery, 26½c; do nearby prints, 29c. Eggs scarce and firm; nearby fresh, 32c at mark; western, 32c at mark. Cheese firmer. New York full creams, fancy, 11¾c; do choice, 11½c; do fair to good, 11@11¼c.

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—On the produce exchange today the butter market was firm; creameries, 16@25c; dairies, 15@21c. Eggs firm; at mark, cases included, 18½@22½c; firsts, 26c; extras, 28c. Cheese steady, 11@12c.

The Wool Market.

LONDON, Nov. 28.—The offerings at the wool auction sales today amounted to 12,405 bales. There was a large supply of new clip in fine condition, and bidding was active in all sections. Scoured fleece wools were in chief demand for Germany. Inferior scoured lambs and greasy first pieces sold slowly and were often bought in. Crossbreds were in good request, slipes being taken chiefly by home buyers. Americans secured a fair supply of fine merinos, medium crossbreds and fine slipes at full prices. Following are the sales in detail: New South Wales, 3,400 bales; scoured, 8d@1s 10½d; greasy, 4½d@1s 11½d. Queensland, 900 bales; scoured, 1s 5d@2s 1d; greasy, 5¾d@1s. Victoria, 2,500 bales; scoured, 7½d@2s; greasy, 6¼d@1s 2d. South Australia, 900 bales; scoured, 1s 1d@1s 7d; greasy, 5½@1s. West Australia, 160 bales; greasy, 6¾@11d. New Zealand, 3,400 bales; greasy, 7d@1s 3½d. Cape of Good Hope and Natal, 400 bales; scoured, 1s 4¼d@1s 9½d; greasy, 7½@10d.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—The market for coffee futures opened steady at an advance of 5 and 15 points in response to firm European cables and signs of a falling off in interior Santos receipts. Demand was quite active. There was a little further switching from near to late months, owing to further notices, but the continued firmness of the French market attracted considerable demand from scattering sources and more than 16,000 bags of the total business was in the shape of exchanges. The market ruled generally firm and closed steady at a net gain of 15@20 points. Sales were reported of 62,000 bags, including December at 6.80@6.90c; January at 6.90@7.00c, March at 7.15@7.20c, May at 7.30@7.35c and September at 7.75@7.80c. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 4¼c; centrifugal, 96 degrees test, 4¾c; molasses sugar, 4c; refined firm.

The Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Cotton futures closed barely steady: November, 9.20c; December, 9.22c; January, 9.34c; February, 9.41c; March, 9.51c; April, 9.57c; May, 9.65c; June, 9.63c; July, 9.68c; spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 9.70c; middling gulf, 9.95c; sales, 100 bales.

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GROCERIES.

Flour:
Fancy spg. patent, quarters, in paper.$6.40@6.50
Fancy winter patent...$5.90@6.10
Straight win.$5.50@6.65
Rye .....$4.50@4.55
Graham ....$4.15@4.75
Cornmeal, bbl. ....$3.25@3.40
In 10-lb cotton bags .....16½@17c
Buckwheat ....$3.00@3.25
Rolled oats, bbl...$4.25
do keg $2.40
Roasted coffee.
Rio .....13½@15c
Santos .....22½@24c
Maracaibo ....15@15½c
Peaberry .....17½@18c
Golden Rio ....15@15½c
Caracol .....19½@20c
Standard sugars, pkgs. 18.65c
High grade.18¼@19½c
Molasses, fancy refined .....33@36c
do choice ....31@34c
do open kef..37@38c
Syrup.
Fancy syrup ....28@30c
Maple sugar, gal.$1.00
Sug. and cane...24@25c
Prime .....24@25c
½-lb cans, doz...$1.00
1-lb cans, doz...$1.10
2 cans, doz....$1.85
10-lb cans, doz...$8.40
Maple, gal. ....75c@$1.00
Oatmeal, bbl. $5.25
do kegs $2.75
Sugar, sta. gran...5.20c
do bags 5.35c
do 2-lb carton...5.50c

Sweets, K. D., Jersey, bbls. ....$3.50@3.75
do crate...$1.10@1.15
do Virginia, bbl. ....$2.00@2.10
Rutabagas, bu...30@35c
Carrots, ton ....$15.00@16.00
Parsnips, bbl. ....$18.00@20.00
Squash, Hub, ton ...$10.00@12.00
do marrowfat, ton ....$8.00@9.00
Turnips, bbl.$1.25@1.50
Beets, bbl. ...$1.50@1.75

PRODUCE.

Potatoes, bu, store...55@60c
Virginia sweets, bbls. ....$2.00@2.25
Jersey sweets, kiln dried, bbl. ....$3.75@4.00
do hamp'r.$1.25@1.50
do crates..$1.25@1.35
Onions, yellow Danvers, bbl.$2.50@2.75
do bu. ....$1.00@1.15
Spanish, per crate ....$1.75@1.85
Carrots, bbl.$1.50@1.75
do hamp'rs.50c@$1.00
Parsnips, bbl. ....$1.50@1.75
Cucumbers, Boston, doz. ....$1.50@1.75
Cabbage, domestic, bbl. ....75c@$1.00
do 100 ...$11.00@12.00
do Stray, bbl. ....75c@$1.00
do German seed, ton ...$14.00@15.00
do bbl. ....$1.15@1.25
Lettuce, baskets ....30@35c
do head...$5.00@6.00
Green beans.$3.00@3.50
Head lettuce, bbl. ....$4.50@5.00
Radishes .....20@30c
Endive, bbl.$4.00@4.50
Shallots, doz. ....40@50c
Wax beans ....30@35c
Celery, Kalamazoo, doz. .....10@15c

Cranberries, per crate.$2.00@2.75
Horseradish, bbl. ....$5.00@6.00
do bbl. ....$1.50@1.75
California tomatoes.$2.50@3.00
do south'n.$1.75@2.25
Watercress, doz.45@50c

JOBBERS' YARD PRICES.

Potatoes, Mich., carlots .....40@45c
do bu. .....40@48c
do Ohio, carlots ....35@55c
do bu. .....55@58c
Onions, bbl.$2.15@2.25
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NIXON—One of the Biggest and Prettiest Spectacles That Modern Stagecraft Has Ever Given Us.

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Nixon—"Mother Goose."

Less tuneful than "Babes in Toyland," less a novelty than "The Wizard of Oz," lacking the dash of "Mr. Bluebeard" and without the compact ensemble of feminine loveliness of "The Beauty and the Beast," the latest of great spectacular attractions, "Mother Goose," possesses qualities of novelty, comedy, beauty and melody that give it distinct individuality. It combines many of the best features of its predecessors and adds the very latest improvements in stunning stage effects. Never before was dazzling color so artistically harmonized. Never before has a more prodigal display of artistic costumes been shown. Advance in the art of modern stage splendor is proportionate with the progress of electrical invention and the extravagance in the buying of tinsel. In "Mother Goose" every trick in modern illumination is utilized, and glittering tinsel is not spared.

At the Nixon, where "Mother Goose" began her fortnight's sojourn last night, a big audience saw a proverbial Christmas pantomime brought up to date. It is the old nursery tale very much modernized—and seasoned with spice that sometimes unfortunately touches the danger line. Superb stage direction is apparent and the hundreds of beautiful dancers move with the precision that reveals the results of long and arduous training. The aerial ballet of "The Beauty and the Beast" is interpolated, but not improved. There is the same fairy queen that has been seen in similar productions since the days of the "Black Crook," but the good fairy who directs the fortune of "Mother Goose" is refreshingly mortal and the only reminiscent feature in the actions of the demon who tries to thwart the princess, is the flash of crimson light that betokens his entrance.

LEILA MINTYRE,
One of "Mother Goose's" Pretty Maidens.

Joe Cawthorne plays the title role, thank you, and makes poor old Mother Goose speak the inimitable Dutch dialect which he picked up years ago. Of course his rolling "R's" and twisting of simple English shatters all precedents of fairy lore, and it is this feature of his "business" which is largely responsible for the best comedy situations of the performance. People miss Joe's concertina, but with so many songs and side-play he may have forgot to bring it out. Leila McIntyre overlooks no opportunity to interject her winsome imitations of babyland and seems to have added to her delightful repertoire. No less fascinating is Nora Aymar in her Indian song, "Laughing Water." Harry Kelly, W. H. Macart, Clifton Crawford and Edith St. Clair have conspicuous parts in the trios and quartets in which the principals appear and contribute their share of the merriment. The comedy lines would stand expurgating, and the fact that the fun which is the least suggestive receives the greatest applause should be convincing proof that the suggestiveness could be eliminated without prejudice.

Gayety—"The Missourians."

There is hope for the downtrodden, much contemned and Kremerized melodrama. I found that hope at the Gayety theater last night in "The Missourians," the new melodrama by Nain Grute and Wade Mountfortt that is receiving its Pittsburgh premier at that house this week. Not that "The Missourians" is a perfect play. It is melodrama and uses much of the old material that we have had threshed over on the stage from "The Old Homstead" to "The Sporting Duchess," but these young newspaper writers have injected good, sound, wholesome stimulus into these old situations and woven a story that is here and there full of strength and tense with appeal. I am so grateful for the cleanliness and wholesome sentiment in the play that I feel like excusing its defects. The three acts are not of equal strength and the end of the second is positively weak in its lack of motive for the villainy of a character that forms a pivot on which the happy ending of the story depends. The last act is also lacking in originality, though the authors have been courageous enough to give it an abrupt and decidedly dramatic ending, without the usual explanations and visible wedding paraphernalia that are considered so necessary in advance of the last curtain. It is in the atmosphere, in the faithful observance of the detail of that peculiar cult known as "southern," that the charm of the piece lies. Herein the authors excel and have given us a stage story at once striking, original and "to the manor born." I am not sure that the subcurrent of the melodrama will find always ready understanding, but it deserves to, for it is man's bravery and chivalry, no matter what his station or occupation may be in life. But a melodrama is not supposed to be educative, so this fine sentiment may miss its higher aim, but it sweetens and makes strong the whole story for all that.

The story is from Missouri, the Missouri of 25 years ago, and concerns itself with a feud involving possession of property, part of which is a racing mare modelled, perhaps, after Maud S. There is the daughter of the house, loved by men on opposite sides of the feud. One of the men is shot and to shield the brother of the girl he loves, who is suspected, the other man is silent to the point of arrest and trial for the crime. The jury disagrees and the lover is out on bail, when the villain plots to "pull a race" in which the horse, the last asset of the girl's family, is to win and be valuable or lose and be worthless. The lover drives to victory and a lynching is narrowly averted for the villain when the curtain goes down. This is a bare outline, but takes no account of the central and strongest characterization of the play. This is an odd character, said to have been drawn from life. A man who runs a saloon but who preaches temperance. A sign over his saloon door reads, "The Road to Hell," and if I was not assured that the authors have gone to real life for the sketch, name and all, I would be tempted to believe that a defense was intended for the sale of liquor.

This, however, is not the result of Stormy Jordan's presence in the story. Played by Theodore Hamilton this eccentric Missourian is a new type. Rugged strong, loving mercy, and quick to defend innocence, even with the ever-ready "gun," this character is the glory of the play. It is so cleverly and rationally drawn, and so vigorously and humanely played by Mr. Hamilton, that I count it one of the best things that melodrama has given us in many moons.

The flag of the union and the flag of the lost cause are brought together in the first act in a moment of fine dramatic spirit. There is nothing to offend in the incident, and last night a northern audience caught up readily and sympathetically the "tear for the lost and the cheer for the saved" that greeted the incident. In his support Mr. Hamilton has some excellent players. Perhaps of these Cecil De Mille, as the horse trainer, did the best work. The characterization was clear cut and never beyond the limits of the rational in dramatic coherency. Clement R. Kirby is temperamentally the backward southern lover. His work appeared a little awkward and sometimes lacked life, but in speech and manner he gave intense sincerity to a part that might easily have been made extravagant. Miss Constance Adams, as the heroine, played with directness if not special force. Miss Flora Finch, as an exceedingly angular old maid, furnished much of the comedy, aided capitally by W. E. Duncan as a typical negro preacher and Thomas Calahan, candidate for congress, and Neil Moran as a sheriff. The play is well staged and the scenery reflects the locale of the story well. If melodrama will take the Missouri route we will have the satisfaction of knowing that it is clean and coherent and tells a human story in human language, even if it does not go very far away from the beaten track in its fundamentals. For this much I, for one, will be truly thankful.

CHARLES M. BREGG.

Alvin—"The Village Postmaster."

Alice E. Ives and Jerome Eddy wrote a stage version of New England life in "The Village Postmaster." The "atmosphere" is, of course, put on very much as the paint is applied to the stage scenes, without much reference to naturalness, but the play has five love stories and there is a wronged girl and a villain, along with the stern father and the usual stage characters that the rural drama affords. The piece has had a long run and is now one of the oldtimers of its kind. Its revival this week by the Alvin stock company is admirably made from both scenic and acting points of view. The rain storm is cleverly introduced and the Yankee Comedy Four Quartet does some good singing. It is a pity, however, to find so fine a group of players as that under Manager Davis' control wasting its good talents on an artificial and stagy rural drama that is so limited in its appeal as "The Village Postmaster." This criticism is the unusual one of finding fault with players because they are too good. William Courtenay, Jane Kennark, William McVay, Alice Gale, Emma Dunn, Frederick Paulding and the rest of Manager Davis' players do not shine in dramas of obsolete and tenuous interest. There is nothing vivid except one or two pathetic love scenes and in these Mr. Courtenay and Miss Kennark lift "The Village Postmaster" higher than that old gentleman has ever been before, perhaps. There are so many good "old" plays that might be resurrected in which the stock company would reflect to far greater advantage the really fine talents it possesses, that it is surprising to find the players doing the conventional and stagy only.

Bijou—Chauncey Olcott.

Chauncey Olcott's faithful clientele in Pittsburgh never fails in its annual greeting when that favorite singing comedian makes his visits here, and as usual two big audiences paid him homage at the Bijou theater yesterday. "A Romance of Athlone" has enough of Irish humor and melody to give it the flavor which is always congenial to Mr. Olcott and the introduction of gypsy characters gives added tone to that place of romantic lore—Athlone. Mr. Olcott's voice has lost none of its sweet tenderness in either key or inflection, and his singing is still the best feature of his performances. Yesterday he received encore after encore and was obliged to step before the footlights and beg excuse from further repetition of the familiar verses of "My Wild Irish Rose," "When Song Is Sweet" and Kate Kearney." Mr. Olcott is supported by a good company and the staging of the play is adequate in all respects.

Duquesne—"Twirly Whirly."

First nighters found plenty to amuse them at the Duquesne last night in that jolly production of Weber and Fields, "Twirly Whirly." Not a few of the spectators voted the chorus the best that has appeared at the Duquesne this season. They are the sort of girls that make a Duquesne crowd come back again and bring their friends, and their reception last night was cordial. In their clever work as sailor lassies, warlike Russians or strategic Japs, little brownies, soldiers on parade, or mumbling Indian warriors, they offered a variety of color effects, dainty costumes and agile movements that were very pleasing. The big extravaganza, which has been so popular on Broadway, is led by two well known stars, Charles J. Ross and Mabel Fenton. The former in the role of Harold Cornfield, a New York gaming prince who wants a place for a Monte Carlo, and the latter taking the double part of Cleopatra and Mary McPain, make the burlesques on "Zaza," "Mrs. Dane's Defense" and "Cleopatra" welcome hits of the evening. Much better than the average of comical Dutchmen are Robert Harris and Samuel Sidman, who make their initial appearance in an air ship, and contribute to find the funny spots in the crowd all through the performance. Paul Quinn won fame long ago in a Mr. Dooley role, and his presentation of Roger McCracken adds to his fame as a funmaker. In some respects the entertainment might be brightened up considerably, but, as a whole, the performance is amusing.

Avenue—"Barbara Fidgety."

The tawdry sentiment which is attached to many war plays and the mistaken idea which prevails as to the sentiments of the average southerner's hospitality were never better burlesqued than in Weber and Fields' travesty on Clyde Fitch's "Barbara Frietchie." Not all gentlemen of the south are proverbially generous and not all southern girls are supremely beautiful and serenely loveable (although it may take iron courage to make the assertion), and the true conditions of love and hospitality south of Mason and Dixon's line are faithfully depicted in "Barbara Fidgety." At the Avenue theater yesterday the Harry Davis travesty company gave the first presentation of the burlesque in this city. The company has done better work during its short existence, but with the singing of Eleanor Kent, the energetic dancing of Flossie Hope and the good humor of Bobby North there is much to praise in the company's work in this week's attraction. The members of the chorus need the tutoring of better stage management, a defect which has been apparent since the company was organized. Chris C. Wheelan does a clever specialty and Herman West lacks nothing in the character of a typical southern character. Rice and Cady are not so much at home in soldier uniforms, but that is not the fault of the comedians. Miss Edythe Gibbons has a burlesque villain part in which she does justice to the role.

Empire—Madame Herrmann.

Madame Herrmann, widow of Herrmann the Great, and her troupe of vaudeville artists, entertained a crowded house at the Empire theater last night. The bill was good from start to finish, and the audience was lavish in its applause.

Adams, Edwards & Co. opened the program with a ludicrous German skit, entitled "Zeke," which put the audience in good humor for what followed. Miss Elizabeth Estelle captured the house with her clever singing and dancing, while West and Van Sicien, in their clever musical comedy, "The Gymnazium," presented some things entirely new in the ever popular musical lines.

Edward Levine is really a clever juggler, and some of the acts he presented were out of the ordinary, and drew vigorous applause, while his companion, Miss Lillian Waltone, in her phenomenal baritone singing, made an equally happy hit. "Happy Jack" Lyle, as "Happy Hooligan," presented a tramp sketch which was bright and up-to-date, and he was recalled several times. Slater and Williams in "a little coonology" and Miss Ruth Shea, with her choir transformation, were strong features of the bill. Of course Madame Herrmann was the drawing card of the evening. She performs all of Herrmann's old tricks and many new ones in a manner that is second only to that of the great magician himself.

Grand—Vaudeville.

There is a good show at the Grand this week. Among the more interesting features are the experiments showing the wonders of liquid air. These experiments are the real thing, and worth the time and attention of those who are interested in this marvelous force. The rest of the bill is quite good, also. The two fine grays are real circus horses, and the Wentworths are real equestrian artists. The other acts, of which there are 15, consist of music, monologues, quaint songs, coon dances, high trapeze business, black-face comics, juggling and the kind of vaudeville that is generally approved and well up to the standard.

Academy—"The Tiger Lillies."

A packed house greeted the Tiger Lillies last night and everybody stayed until the performance was over. The action is fast, and sometimes furious, with more encores than could be worked in. While there are no specially great acts, every one is entertaining, and the people are generally above the average of those usually found on the variety stage. Bonita, with her Cuban and African kids, got such a hold on the audience that it was hard to break away. Altogether the Lillies bloom quite gally and entertainingly.

Another Farce for Stock Company.

George Broadhurst's latest farce comedy, "A Fool and His Money," will be the attraction at the New Alvin theater for the week commencing next Monday. The piece is new to Pittsburgh, although it comes here with the prestige of a long run at the Madison Square theater, New York. The entire stock company, with several additions, will be in the cast.

"Mother Goose" Second Week Seat Sale.

The sale of seats for the second and last week of Klaw & Erlanger's big beauty spectacle, "Mother Goose," at the Nixon theater, begins this morning instead of Thursday. This has been necessitated by the extraordinary call for reservations during the final week.

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The Panhandle Mining Company and the California Consolidated Mining Company, in both of which Pittsburgh capitalists owned the controlling interests, have been consolidated. The merged corporation will be known as the Heinz Lead and Silver Mining Company. It will have a capital of $1,000,000. J. H. McLaren of this city has been elected president. The old companies owned property near Wallace, Idaho.

The new company is chartered under the laws of Delaware. A stamp has just been completed at Wallace which has a 250,000 tons capacity. More stamps will be erected immediately, which will cost in the neighborhood of $25,000.

Mr. McLaren returned last evening from Idaho where the merger formally took place. The Pittsburghers interested in the company, besides Mr. McLaren, are P. M. Pfeil, Homer C. Stewart, G. E. Obey, W. A. Terry, F. H. McKinney, W. B. Rhodes, S. Severance and D. Horne. The Chicago capitalists are Charles Murphy, Joseph Mohr, Adrian Vandergrift and H. Q. Swanson.

CASH FOR IMPROVEMENTS ON CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 28.—The Pennsylvania Railroad Company today awarded 5,000 shares of Cleveland & Pittsburgh railway stock to Kuhn, Loeb & Co. of New York. The price paid was $2 885 a share. This will put the company about $4,288,000. This money is to be used for improvements on the Cleveland & Pittsburgh line, which is a branch of the Pennsylvania railroad.

Check Is Being Looked Up.

Peter Paupus, a Greek, was arrested at the City Deposit bank in the East End yesterday by Detectives Demmel and McDonald. He was trying to cash a check made payable to the Citizens Safe and Trust Company of Cleveland on the Euclid National bank of that city. It was signed by "The May Company." Paupus said his brother, a Cleveland street sweeper, had found the check. In the prisoner's pocket was the stub of the check, showing it had been issued "For office expense." The Cleveland authorities were notified.

DRANK POISONED WATER.

Colored Lad of Woods Run Has Narrow Escape from Death.

The residents of Woods Run, Allegheny, are wrought up over what is supposed to be an attempt to poison those who drink the waters of a spring patronized by most of the neighborhood. Elmer Lane, the 5-year-old son of Frank Lane, colored, of O'Neil street, was saved from death last night only by heroic measures on the part of Dr. J. C. Langfitt.

The lad stopped at the spring to get a drink and immediately after was seized by pains. Dr. Langfitt applied the stomach pump. It is thought the poison thrown in the spring is paris green. Several days ago a goat that drank from the spring died.

JURY DISCHARGED IN NAN PATERSON CASE

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—The jury in the Patterson murder trial was discharged today and at the same time District Attorney Jerome served notice on Miss Patterson's counsel that a new jury would be selected and a retrial begun at the term of court which opens one week from today. The illness of Edward Dressler, a juror who was stricken with apoplexy last week, was the cause of today's action.

Kolerowski Fell Through Window.

For refusing to pay for a window after falling through it, Carl Kolerowski, a boarder at No. 905 Pine alley, was arrested and committed to jail last night for a hearing before Alderman Sherran this morning. Mrs. Annie Rozuski, who conducts the boarding house, charges her boarder with malicious mischief.

Prosperity at McKees Rocks.

Three hundred men returned to work at the plant of the Pressed Steel Car Company, McKees Rocks, yesterday and on December 4, many more will be employed, the company now having material on hand to begin contracts which will require about one year to complete.

Allegheny Officers Suspended.

The Allegheny police board last night suspended Patrolman Michael Heak and James Crann for five days each, they being charged with neglect of duty.

HOW TO WIN A HUSBAND.

Woman's sphere in this 20th century is not limited any more than is man's. She can occupy almost any business position or profession, and yet the popular view of womanhood is that she best fits the position of wife and mother and head of the household. Every girl should know her heart and also know that her womanly system is equal to the strain of marriage. If a girl is nervous and irritable ten chances to one it is due to some trouble peculiar to womanhood.

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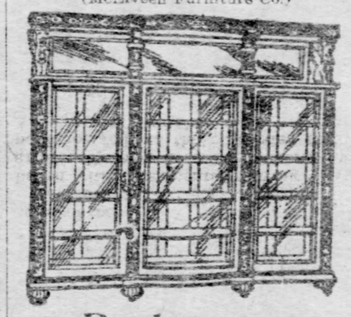

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Christmas approaching what will you give that literary friend? Perhaps he (or she) would appreciate a bookcase even more than a gift of books.
The fact is, most persons in this busy world have more books than they can possibly find time to read.
And a bookcase is indispensable in Pittsburgh, where books are soon ruined if not kept securely protected from the ravages of the smoke-laden atmosphere.
The case advertised today is embellished with ornamental carving very artistically executed. The general appearance reflects the cultivated taste. A more appropriate home for one's literary treasures could scarcely be devised.
Mahogany or oak; length 81 inches, height 72 inches; mirror 10x70 inches.
Of course, as this is the largest furniture house in the world, you will find here an exceedingly large and interesting variety of bookcases, including the sectional bookcases and other kinds of plain and ornamental design.
And prices are always reasonable at
McELVEEN'S
(McElveen Furniture Co.)
525-527-529 Penn Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

The possession of a little ready cash often gives opportunities for advancement—you can open a savings account in this big strong bank with One Dollar,
4% Interest
Write or call for Booklet.
THE UNION SAVINGS BANK
Capital $1,000,000.00
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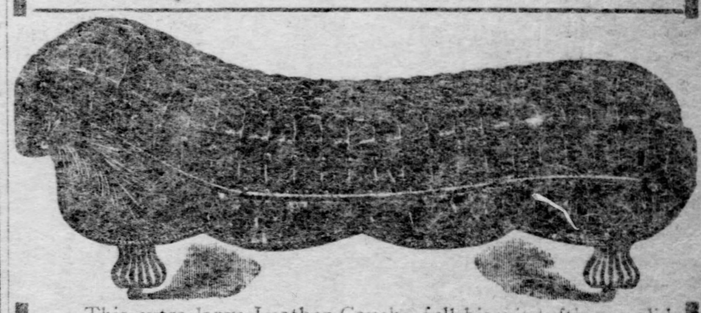
Fifth Avenue and Grant Street.

TOURS.

Raymond & Whitcomb's
TOURS AND TICKETS
EVERYWHERE
California, Dec. 13, etc.
Mexico, Jan. 19.
Egypt and Palestine, Jan. 3 and 21.
West India Cruise, Jan. 18.
Pittsburgh Office, 357 5th Ave.
P. & L. E. Ticket Office.

WELCOME TO CREDIT
TAYLOR BROS.
932 AND 934 PENN AVE

Now approaches the gladdest season of the year—Holiday Week. Prepare your home to comfortably enjoy the festivities. The prices below will hold for the balance of the week.



This extra large Leather Couch—full biscuit tufting—solid oak—handsomely carved frame, springs are practically indestructible—worth every cent of $35—our special price for today, only..... $18.75

SUGGESTION: This Couch would be appreciated as a Christmas present—an ornament as well as a comfort in any home.

SPECIAL IN MATRESSES

Felt on both sides, fiber in center, which prevents packing, and guarantees a lifetime of wear—makes a very elegant bed, regular price $8.50, our price..... $5.00

SPRINGS—Best steel Folding Bed Springs—regular value $4.50—our special price..... $2.50

Our Carpet and Rug Department
is offering special inducements—the best weaves from the best factories direct to us.

Best All-Wool Ingrain Carpet, regular price 90c per yard. Our price..... 60c Per Yd.
Made, laid and lined.
30 PATTERNS TO SELECT FROM.

Brussels Carpet in new effects, include new and rich designs, regular price $1.00 per yard. Our price..... 70c Per Yd.
Made, laid and lined.
Beautiful patterns to suit the most particular.

9 x 12 Tapestry and Smyrna Druggets, regular price $22.00. Our price for this week is..... $13.75

We are showing a beautiful assortment in this line, very rich in design and very fashionable.

CASH OR CREDIT

RAILROADS.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

Trains leave on Eastern Standard Time
From Union Station, Pittsburgh.

FOR PHILADELPHIA, NEW YORK, BALTIMORE AND WASHINGTON.

Keystone Express, daily	3.00 a. m.
Manhattan Limited, daily, for North Philadelphia and New York	3.35 a. m.
The Pennsylvania Limited, daily	7.15 a. m.
New York Limited, daily	7.15 a. m.
Atlantic Express, daily	7.30 a. m.
Main Line Express, daily	8.00 a. m.
Day Express, daily	12.01 p. m.
Mail Express, daily	12.45 p. m.
Chicago Mail, daily for Baltimore and Washington	4.50 p. m.
Eastern Express, daily for Philadelphia and New York	4.55 p. m.
New York Express, daily for Philadelphia and New York	7.10 p. m.
Philadelphia Express, daily	9.00 p. m.
New York Special, daily, for New York only	10.00 p. m.
Philadelphia Special, daily. Sleeping cars to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington. No coaches	10.00 p. m.
For Buffalo and Niagara Falls, 9.00 a. m. and 11.00 p. m. daily.	
For Oil City, 6.22, 9.00 a. m., 1.30, 5.05, and 11.00 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m. 5.05 and 11.00 p. m.	
For Titusville and Corry, 9.00 a. m. and 11.00 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m. and 11.00 p. m. For Titusville only, 1.30 p. m. week-days.	
For DuBois, 6.15, 9.00 a. m., 1.30 and 5.05 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9.00 a. m. and 5.05 p. m.	
For Atlantic City (via Delaware River Bridge, all-rail route), 8.00 a. m., 7.10 and 9.00 p. m. daily. "The Pennsylvania Limited," and "New York Limited," 7.15 a. m. week-days.	
For Connellsville and Uniontown, 8.15, 8.25 a. m., 12.30 and 5.07 p. m. week-days, 9.00 a. m. and 4.55 p. m. Sundays.	
For Brownsville and Uniontown, 10.55 a. m. week-days and 4.35 p. m. daily. For Brownsville only, 6.05, 8.20 a. m., 1.05, 3.25, 6.45 and 11.35 p. m. week-days; 7.00, 9.35 a. m., and 1.05, 5.00 and 9.40 p. m. Sundays. For West Brownsville, 8.05 a. m. and 1.05 and 3.25 p. m. week-days. For Dravosburg, West Elizabeth, Monongahela City and Belle Vernon, 6.05, 8.20, 10.55 a. m., 1.05, 3.25, 4.35 (5.20 to Monongahela City), 6.45, and 11.35 p. m. week-days. Sunday 7.00, 9.35 a. m., 1.05, 4.30, 5.00, and 9.40 p. m.	

FROM ALLEGHENY:—

For Butler, 6.50, 8.25, 10.25 a. m., 3.10 and 6.10 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 7.00 a. m., 9.30 p. m.	

The Excelsior Baggage Express Company will call for and check Baggage from Hotels and Residences. Time Cards and full information can be obtained at the Ticket Offices—No. 360 Fifth Avenue, corner Fourth Avenue and Try Street, and Union Station.

W. W. ATTERBURY, Manager. J. R. WOOD, General Passenger Agent. GEO. W. BOYD, Assistant General Passenger Agent.

PITTSBURGH & LAKE ERIE R. R.
CLEVELAND SHORT LINE.
Schedule in Effect June 19, 1904.

CENTRAL TIME.	Depart.	Arrive.
Chicago & Cleve. "Flyer"	* 7.00 am	* 9.45 pm
Cleveland "Flyer"	* 7.00 am	* 6.30 pm
Youngst'n & Cleve. Mail	* 8.30 am	* 5.10 pm
Buffalo and Erie Express	† 8.30 am	† 7.15 pm
Lake Chautauqua Fast Line	*12.50 pm	* 6.50 am
Buffalo and Erie Express	‡ 5.00 pm	* 9.45 pm
Cleveland and Chicago Ex.	* 2.30 pm	*12.30 pm
Boston Special	† 5.00 pm	* 6.35 am
Cleve. & Detroit "Flyer"	* 6.15 pm	*11.15 am
Chicago Limited	* 6.15 pm	* 6.35 pm
Buffalo and Cleveland Ex.	*10.30 pm	* 6.35 pm
Youngstown Accom.	† 5.30 am	* 8.30 am
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 9.40 am	† 8.35 am
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 9.00 am	† 9.30 am
West Pittsburgh Accom.	†12.10 pm	† 4.15 pm
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 5.30 pm	†12.15 am
New Castle Express	† 4.20 pm	† 7.30 am
New Castle Express	† 8.05 am	† 1.10 pm
Beaver Falls Express	† 5.25 pm	† 6.30 am

Brownsville Accom.	* 6.10 am	† 6.45 am
Brownsville & N.Hav. Ex.	* 8.00 am	* 8.00 am
McKeesprt. & Brownsville	†11.50 am	†12.40 pm
Brownsville & N. Haven	† 3.30 pm	† 4.50 pm
Brownsville & N. Haven	† 5.20 pm	† 5.45 pm

P., C. & Y. trains for Carnegie, Beading and Beechmont, †5:30 a. m., †10.15 a. m.
*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only. §Note—Daily train (Sunday, Youngstown only).
City ticket office, 357 Fifth ave. Park bldg.
J. B. YOHE, Gen. Supt. L. A. ROBISON, Gen. Pass. Agent. Pittsburgh, Pa.

RAILROADS.

Pittsburgh Union Station.
Pennsylvania Lines.
By Central Standard Time.

TRAINS.	LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
Chicago, Cincinnati and St. Louis	* 1.10 am	† 1.25 am
Fort Wayne and Chicago	* 8.15 am	* 2.15 pm
Tiffin and Toledo	* 8.15 am	* 5.50 pm
Indianapolis, Louisville, St. Louis	* 4.50 am	* 6.00 am
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 4.50 pm	* 8.00 pm
Alliance and Cleveline	* 6.00 am	* 5.40 pm
Cleveland and Bellaire	† 5.20 am	† 7.25 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 5.20 am	† 6.35 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	† 5.30 am	† 1.05 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 6.30 am	† 9.55 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 6.30 am	†10.05 am
Youngstown and Ashtabula	† 6.30 am	† 2.50 pm
Ohio Valley Express	† 6.50 am	† 8.20 pm
Salem and Alliance	† 7.00 am	†10.40 pm
Fort Wayne and Chicago	* 7.00 am	* 5.50 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 7.50 am	† 4.35 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 7.30 am	† 6.35 pm
Mercer and Oil City	* 7.35 am	† 8.20 pm
Jamestown and New Castle	† 7.35 am	† 1.20 pm
Jamestown and New Castle	† 7.35 am	* 8.55 am
Youngstown and Ashtabula	† 7.35 am	† 8.20 pm
The Cleveland Express	† 7.40 am	† 7.25 pm
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8.00 am	* 5.40 pm
The Toledo Special	*11.30 am	* 8.50 pm
Columbus and Chicago	12.15 pm	*10.05 am
Youngstown and Ashtabula	†12.55 pm	†10.35 am
Jamestown and Ashtabula	†12.55 pm	* 5.05 pm
Cleveland and Bellaire	† 1.25 pm	† 5.05 pm
Alliance and Marsfield	† 1.35 pm	† 1.40 pm
The St. Louis Special	† 2.10 pm	† 2.10 am
East Liverpool and Steubenville	† 4.02 pm	† 7.40 am
New Castle and Erie	† 4.50 pm	† 5.50 pm
Mercer and Oil City	† 4.30 pm	† 8.52 pm
Niles and Youngstown	† 4.50 pm	† 1.30 pm
Jamestown, Youngstown and Niles	* 4.30 pm	† 5.50 pm
The Cleveland Special	† 5.00 pm	*11.15 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 5.22 pm	† 5.40 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 5.10 pm	† 9.10 am
The Chicago Special	† 6.30 pm	† 5.45 am
Columbus and Indianapolis	* 8.10 pm	* 5.55 am
The St. Louis Limited	* 8.10 pm	* 6.55 am
Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville	* 8.15 pm	* 6.00 am
The Pennsylvania Limited	* 8.35 pm	* 6.40 am
Toledo and Detroit Express	* 8.20 pm	* 6.55 am
Beaver Falls and New Castle	*10.40 pm	* 8.05 pm
Allegheny and Cleveland	† 8.15 pm	† 8.40 am
Butler	*11.30 pm	* 7.25 am

Leave for Washington, Pa., †8.00 am, †2.30 pm, †5.30 pm, †9.46 am, †1.20 pm, †4.10 pm, †4.10 pm, †6.15 pm, †5.53 pm, †6.20 pm, †9.20 pm, †10.50 pm.
Leave for Wheeling, †6.50 am, *8.20 am, *11.40 am, †3.30 pm, *4.15 pm.
Leave for Steubenville, *5.40 am, †8.22 am, †4.25 pm, †10.55 pm, †11.35 am.
Leave for Hannison, *5.40 am, *2.20 pm.
Leave Allegheny for Salem and Alliance, †8.25 pm.
*Every day. †Week days only. ‡Sundays only.

BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD.

(Eastern Standard Time.)